

12th Season in Kansas City

Charter Member of NBA



Kansas City Kings 1983-84

Media Guide

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Team Colors	Red, White, and Blue
Radio	KMBZ (98 am) - 82 games, Kevin Calabro
Television	KSHB (ch. 41) - 15 games, Kevin Calabro and Ed Macauley
Game Time	7:35 p.m. CST, check schedule for Sun.
Ticket Prices	\$11.50, \$9, \$7, \$3.50 (general admission)

KINGS OWNERS



(l. to r.) Joe Axelson, Joseph Benvenuti, Mayor Richard Berkley, Gregg Lukenbill, Cotton Fitzsimmons.

On June 8, 1983 the Kansas City Kings were sold to a group from Sacramento, California for cash and assumption of obligations totalling \$10.5 million dollars.

The new owners are Joseph Benvenuti, Frank and Gregg Lukenbill, Robert A. Cook, Frank McCormack and Stephen H. Cippa, all of Sacramento. Benvenuti owns 50% of the team, and the remainder will be owned by C.C.M. & L., a general partnership made up of the other purchasers.

Upon purchasing the club, the new ownership spokesman Gregg Lukenbill said, "We are buying this franchise as an investment. The lease that the team has with the city will be honored. Should the team continue to improve in its financial performance there is every possibility that it will stay right in Kansas City. The operation will be business as usual. No changes are contemplated."

"Our group does not have a background in pro sports and will therefore be leaning heavily on Joe Axelson, who will continue to be president and general manager and our chief executive officer.

"I am very impressed with Greater Kansas City. I have made two recent trips to the city, I've been shown around to a great extent and like what I see. The Kemper Arena is a first-class facility that the city should be proud of."

The majority owner, Benvenuti, is also the owner of J.B. Company, a commercial-industrial development firm.

Briefly, Gregg Lukenbill is a partner with his father, Frank, in a real estate development firm and they are members of the Sacramento Sports Association — which comprises the same five men who make up the general partnership interest in the Kings.

Cook is the Senior Vice President of Artz and Cook, a real estate firm that specializes mainly in residential homes, and Cippa is a real estate broker for Coldwell Banker. McCormack is an employee of Lukenbill Enterprises.

Since July 1, 1983, the Kings had been owned by a group of six men, three from Kansas City and three from New York City. Prior to that the club was owned for nine years by a group of 10 Kansas Citians, with three — Leon Karosen, Paul Rosenberg and Robert Margolin — holding continuous ownership positions with the Kings for 10 years.

JOE AXELSON

PRESIDENT
AND
GENERAL MANAGER



"Last season was a period full of successes and disappointments," says Joe Axelson, President and General Manager of the Kansas City Kings. "We won 15 more games than the year before, we increased our attendance by 21 percent, our team matured into an effective unit, still with an average age of only 25 at the end of the season.

"Even with the increase, our attendance was seventh from the bottom and was about 2,400 a night under the level the franchise reached during the 1978-79 season (before the roof fell in). Our ownership group, with us since the team moved here in June, 1972, sold its interests.

"The new group is on record that it will honor the lease with the city through its balance — 1983-84 and 1984-85. It is also on record that if the club reaches a break-even position at the end of that time that it will stay in Kansas City.

"My personal goals to achieve that position are simple: We must average at least 10,000 this season and 12,000 next season. It can be done. We have a young, hustling, interesting team. We have a beautiful arena in which to play. We are part of a great, action-oriented sport. Our fans get more action for their money than any other major league sport. The worst player in the NBA was a college star. The players in our sport come to play. The Kings players will always come to play.

"That's a guarantee," Axelson says. "The other guarantee that I can make without reservation is that the Kings' staff 'comes to play.' We like our jobs, we love our sport. If you'll sample our sport just a couple of times, you'll know what I mean."

Axelson is entering his 12th year with the Kings and the second season of his return engagement to Kansas City. His first 10-year stint as president and general manager of the Kings was 1969-1979. Three years were in Cincinnati before his instrumental efforts brought the franchise to Kansas City. He stepped down in July, 1979 to become the National Basketball Association's Vice-President of Operations. On April 30, 1982, he was again named president and general manager of this franchise.

Although Axelson has 15 years of professional basketball experience, his success certainly isn't limited entirely to NBA ranks. Before joining the Kings in 1969 he worked with the athletic departments at Furman University and Georgia Southern College, served two years as tournament director of Bowling Proprietors Association of America in Chicago, and spent seven years with the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) in Kansas City as assistant executive secretary. He's listed in "Who's Who in America" and "Who's Who in the World."

Axelson is a man who has a wealth of administrative knowledge. Professional and collegiate, as general manager and league executive, he has seen a lot in athletics. He knows success and plays to win.

Married to the former Rae Smith, they have two sons, David of St. Louis, Missouri and Mark of San Diego, California, and a daughter Mrs. Linda Butler of Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

LOWELL "COTTON" FITZSIMMONS

HEAD COACH



"I wasn't the only one who predicted a sub-par season last year in Kansas City. Cotton has surprised some, and yet he hasn't surprised anyone, because day in and day out, win or lose, Cotton Fitzsimmons proves himself to be what most observers know — that he's one of the very best in the league at what he does."

Greg Gumbel
ESPN Broadcaster

A finalist for the NBA "Coach of the Year" this past season, Cotton Fitzsimmons led his young team to the most improved record in the NBA. The 45-37 mark ranked third in most games won in the 11-year Kings franchise history and bettered the prior season by 15 games.

A great motivator, Fitzsimmons never let his young team quit. Such was the case last season when, although two-games under .500 with 16 games left, the Kings turned around, winning 13 of the final 16 games before losing a playoff berth to Denver in a winner-take-all game to finish the season.

Ironically, a 45-win, non-playoff team was not the best non-qualifier in Fitzsimmons' career. His Phoenix team of 1971-72 holds the NBA record by notching 49 wins and not making the playoffs. And the year before that it was 48 wins and no place to go.

In 1978, Fitzsimmons' first year at the helm of the Kings, he was named NBA "Coach of the Year" as he turned a 31-51 club into a 48-34 Midwest Division Championship team, the first division championship since 1951-52 when Rochester was called home and the team was called the Royals. Those 48 wins still rank as the second-most wins in a single season in the franchise history.

In the 1979-80 campaign he led the Kings to their second-straight playoff berth as Kansas City finished runner-up in the Midwest Division race. In 1980-81 the Kings advanced to the finals of the Western Conference and set a franchise playoff record for the most playoff wins ever.

Fitzsimmons was named the American Sportscasters Association "Coach of the Year" for 1981. Despite free-agency stripping the Kings of top players in 1981-82, he held the young team together and immediately began his rebuilding phase. The result was a 1982-83 team that surprised the experts and finished 10th overall.

In a five-year stint with the Kings, Fitzsimmons has compiled a 210-200 record. He ranks fifth on the NBA active coaches' career wins list, trailing only Jack Ramsay, Gene Shue, Dick Motta, and Lenny Wilkens (with six more wins total). Despite all the success in his illustrious 12-year NBA career and 474 career wins, he's still simply Cotton to everyone who knows him.

A pretty fair country player himself, Cotton grew up in Bowling Green, Mo., and went on to become an All-American guard at Hannibal-La Grange Junior College and completed his playing career at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls, Texas.

His first coaching job was at Moberly Junior College where his teams captured two national JUCO championships and he was named JUCO "Coach of the Year" in both 1966 and 1967. The next stop was to Kansas State University as an assistant under Tex Winter. Then, in two seasons as head coach, he directed the Wildcats to a 34-20 mark and a Big Eight title, adding another "Coach of the Year" award to his resume.

The NBA's Phoenix Suns provided the next stint, and the 1970-71 season was that club's first winning season. The coaching changed to scouting for one year in 1976-77 with the Golden State Warriors, a year that Cotton professes gave him a whole new perspective about the league.

In 1982 he was inducted into the Missouri Basketball Hall of Fame for his outstanding contributions to both college and professional basketball in the state.

Cotton is married to the former JoAnn D'Andrea. He has one son, Gary.

NBA REGULAR SEASON COACHING RECORD

Year	Team	Record	Pct.	Year	Team	Record	Pct.
1970-71	Phoenix Suns	48-34	.585	1977-78	Buffalo Braves	27-55	.329
1971-72	Phoenix Suns	49-33	.598	1978-79	Kansas City Kings	48-34	.585
1972-73	Atlanta Hawks	46-36	.561	1979-80	Kansas City Kings	47-35	.573
1973-74	Atlanta Hawks	35-47	.427	1980-81	Kansas City Kings	40-42	.488
1974-75	Atlanta Hawks	31-51	.378	1981-82	Kansas City Kings	30-52	.366
1975-76	Atlanta Hawks	28-46	.341	1982-83	Kansas City Kings	45-37	.549

12 Years
Playoff Coaching Record

474-502 .486
11-18 .379



FRANK HAMBLÉN

ASSISTANT COACH



"Frank is the most experienced basketball coach for his age (36) in the league. He got started under Alex Hannum, one of the best, when he was the same age as the rookies, and he's earned his spurs. He'll be a head coach one of these days, and when it happens for him, he'll do an excellent job."

"One of the toughest tasks in pro basketball is evaluating talent. The transition from college to the pros transcends that of any other pro sport, and there aren't that many in our game who can predict who will make it and who won't with a very high degree of efficiency. Frank is one of those."

Joe Axelson

Kings President and General Manager

Commenting on his assistant, Cotton Fitzsimmons says, "Frank knows what it takes for a player to make it in the NBA as well as what it takes for a group of players to make it as an outstanding team. Even though he's never pursued a head coaching job in the NBA, he certainly proved that he's qualified and ready after the outstanding job he did in the 1983 summer pro league."

Fitzsimmons was referring to the fact Hamblén led the Kings in their first-ever appearance in the Southern California Summer Pro League. Kansas City ended the five-week competition with a 10-3 mark after advancing to the championship game vs. Detroit.

Hamblén, a 14-year veteran of pro basketball, is entering his sixth season with the Kings. Hired as assistant coach to Larry Staverman on January 8, 1978, Hamblén became Cotton Fitzsimmons' permanent assistant in June of that same year. Since Fitzsimmons named him as his assistant coach, the Kings have compiled a 228-227 record, for a .512 percentage.

The Terre Haute, Indiana native began his coaching career in 1969 with the San Diego/Houston Rockets as assistant coach and scout and spent three years there. In 1972-73 he was named assistant coach and director of player personnel for the Denver Nuggets under Alex Hannum and also served as scout for the Nuggets in 1974-75. Again in 1976-77 he served as assistant coach and director of player personnel for the Nuggets under coach Larry Brown and was named to the 1977 All-Star squad as assistant coach.

Hamblén played basketball for Syracuse University for three years and was captain his senior campaign in 1969. He is single and resides in Prairie Village, Kansas.

GARY FITZSIMMONS

ASSISTANT COACH and SCOUT



"I was a coach's son, so I know what Gary goes through. Once a week somebody asks me if Gary really knows basketball, or...you know the rest. I'd like to go on record right now that Gary Fitzsimmons really knows basketball. If there's a harder-worker or more knowledgeable talent scout in the NBA, I haven't met him."

"He wants to be a head coach somewhere, some day, either in the colleges or in the pros. He'll be a good one."

Joe Axelson

Kings President and G.M.

"Gary is one of the most astute judges of talent in pro basketball. It takes a knack to evaluate talent and he's certainly worked hard to develop his skill. He has become most capable as a judge of talent in the NBA."

Marty Blake
NBA Scouting Service

In five short years, Fitzsimmons has established himself as one of the better judges of collegiate talent in the country. His scouting forte isn't limited to college talent alone; he scouts NBA personnel as well. Some of his draftees are Steve Johnson (1st round, '81), Eddie Johnson (2nd round, '81), and La Salle Thompson (1st round, '82). He also encouraged the trades which brought Joe C. Meriweather, Larry Drew, and Mike Woodson to the Kings roster.

While many franchises split the duties of college and professional scouting, Fitzsimmons handles both aspects for the Kings. That may mean a college game on the West Coast one night, and a pro game in the South the night after. Depending on the month, Fitzsimmons travels anywhere from 18-24 days a month.

"You have to be accustomed to traveling," he says. "You just get used to it — you have to. That's the only way you can judge college players — you have to see them in person."

Raised in Atlanta, he attended the University of Nebraska where he played basketball his freshman year. He then transferred to Southern Illinois at Carbondale where he was a teammate of the Kings' Joe C. Meriweather and Mike Glenn of the Atlanta Hawks.

He began scouting for the Kings after a spring 1978 graduation and was promoted to the position of assistant coach during the summer of 1979.

Garry assisted in coaching duties along with Frank Hamblen for the Kings first-ever Southern California Summer Pro League team this summer. The Kings finished with a 10-3 mark after advancing to the championships.

He is single and lives in Overland Park, Kansas.

BILL JONES
TRAINER



After spending many years on the Kansas City sports scene, Bill Jones begins his twelfth season as the Kings trainer. He started his training career in 1961 with the Kansas City A's Baseball Club and remained with the club throughout their move to Oakland in 1968 and initial season there. He moved back to Kansas City in 1969 to become the first trainer of the Kansas City Royals and continued with them for four years before coming to the Kings camp.

Jones was selected the trainer for the West squad in the NBA/Japan All-Star tour the summer of 1981.

A busy man both on the road and off, he not only keeps the club healthy, but is the traveling secretary, coordinating planes and bus schedules.

Much of his off-court time is spent at the Sports Medicine Treatment Center in Overland Park, Ks., where he is a partner. The Center deals with a complete range of injuries, including diagnosis and treatment. He earned his physical education degree at the College of the Ozarks following high school in Hackett, Arkansas. He and his wife Joyce have a son, Justin Lee, one. He also has three daughters: Angela, 23, Connie, 20 and Jennifer 13. The Jones reside on a farm near Agency, Missouri.

KEVIN CALABRO

ANNOUNCER

The Kings new play-by-play announcer, Kevin Calabro, hails from the hotbed of basketball, Indiana, and is no stranger to roundball.

A graduate of Ben Davis High School in Indianapolis and Butler University in 1978, Calabro called all the plays for the Bulldogs in both football and basketball. From Butler it was on to WRTV for six months as a sports reporter and then to WIBC in Indianapolis as a sports reporter. While at WIBC, 27-year old Calabro also was play-by-play announcer for both Indianapolis Checker hockey for one season and Purdue Boilermaker basketball. He also did Purdue football on television.

Each May for the past five years, Calabro has hosted a two-hour nightly talk show from Gasoline Alley at the Indy 500 and interviewed some of the best auto racers in the world. He also hosted a weekly sports talk show year round.

Married, wife's name is Susan.

Name the ABA's All-Rookie team of 1975-76, the league's final season. The ABA's 1975-76 All-Rookie team was David Thompson (Denver), Mark Olberding (San Antonio), Kim Hughes (New York), M.L. Carr (St. Louis) and Ticky Burden (Virginia).

Name all the rookies who played in all 82 of their team's games. Only four rookies — Dominique Wilkins (Atlanta), Rod Higgins (Chicago), Jerry Eaves (Utah) and Ed Nealy (Kansas City) — failed to miss a game in 1982-83. Wilkins was the top scorer of the bunch, averaging 17.5 points per game.

The NBA initiated the system whereby the teams with the two worst records toss a coin to see who gets first pick. What teams were involved in the first flip and which two players were selected? Detroit and New York were the two parties in the '66 coin toss. New York won and took Cazzie Russell, while the Pistons chose Dave Bing.

Name the two players who hold the NBA record for most free throws made in a game without a miss. The two players who hold the NBA record for most free throws made in a game without a miss are former St. Louis Hawk great Bob Pettit and New York Knick center Bill Cartwright, both of whom sank 19 straight charity tosses. Pettit did so on Nov. 22, 1961 against Boston, while Cartwright equalled the mark on November 17, 1981 vs. Kansas City.

TELEVISION SCHEDULE INCLUDES NATIONAL COVERAGE

The Kings will appear locally on KSHB Channel 41 and USA Cable this season.

Fifteen games are scheduled for KSHB. The KSHB cable coverage reaches into six states so now the Kings can be seen in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska. Nearly 700,000 total homes can carry every Channel 41 game.

The national cable package includes five games, three on the road and two originating from Kemper Arena.

Tuesday	November 8	@ Chicago	7:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Friday	November 11	@ Philadelphia	6:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Saturday	December 3	@ Utah	8:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Thursday	December 8	@ Los Angeles	9:30 p.m. (USA)
Thursday	December 29	@ San Antonio	7:30 p.m. (KSHB)
Friday	January 6	@ Utah	8:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Saturday	January 14	@ Houston	7:40 p.m. (KSHB)
Saturday	January 21	@ Portland	9:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Wednesday	February 1	@ Boston	6:30 p.m. (KSHB)
Wednesday	February 8	@ San Antonio	7:30 p.m. (KSHB)
Thursday	February 16	UTAH	7:00 p.m. (USA)
Saturday	February 25	@ Denver	8:40 p.m. (KSHB)
Thursday	March 1	@ Houston	7:00 p.m. (KSHB and USA)
Thursday	March 15	@ Indiana	6:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Tuesday	March 20	@ Houston	7:40 p.m. (KSHB)
Friday	March 23	@ Denver	8:40 p.m. (KSHB)
Thursday	March 29	@ Portland	9:30 p.m. (USA)
Tuesday	April 3	@ Phoenix	8:35 p.m. (KSHB)
Thursday	April 12	SAN ANTONIO	7:00 p.m. (USA)

ALL TIMES CENTRAL

KMBZ HOME RADIO STATION AGAIN

When the Kings came to Kansas City in 1972-73, the first station to ever broadcast their games was KMBZ 98 AM. For that initial year and the next five, KMBZ was the voice of the club.

Now entering the 12th season in Missouri, the Kings return once again to KMBZ. Only five seasons in the club history has KMBZ not carried the games.

Welcome back!

Last year there were 1,072 NBA television broadcasts of only 942 total games. That means numerous games were carried by at least two mediums. Part of the 1,072 telecasts reflects a 60% increase in local programming.



Craig Thompson
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Julie Fie
Director of
Publicity

The Kansas City Kings appreciate the cooperation and coverage the club has been afforded and looks forward to its twelfth year of operation in Kansas City. In an effort to receive fair and accurate publicity, we ask you to abide by the following guidelines so that we might run our operation as smoothly as possible.

- Season media passes will be issued to recognized newspapers, magazine, radio or television outlets making reasonable requests on company stationery or letterhead. Please indicate all names of the people representing your organization. It is **imperative** that season pass holders notify this office of their intentions to cover a game in order to reserve seating at the press table.
- Individual game credentials should be requested a minimum of 30 hours prior to game time (Friday noon for weekend contests). Pre-arranged passes may be picked up at the media tunnel on the northwest corner of Kemper Arena. Absolutely **NO** passes will be issued on game day.
- Credentials are good for admittance to the arena, media room and on occasion both locker rooms.
- Photo passes will be issued in the same manner as other passes. Weekly papers and magazines on assignment may obtain passes by having the photo editor request a single game credential. It is club policy **NOT** to allow freelance photography. **ALL** photographers must have on a red arm band in order to gain floor access.
- The media room is located next to the visitor's locker room on the north side of the arena. There is a room to secure hats, coats, typewriters, etc. In theory and practice, the media room is for working press **ONLY** and entrance by valid Kings' press pass or NBA pass. It is impossible to accommodate players, family members, friends, guests or others. The professional intent of the room is to provide a meeting and working place for bonafide writers, reporters, broadcasters and game personnel.
- Pre-game press notes, line-ups, etc. will be available in the media room before the game. Play-by-play, quarter stats, flash stats, and halftime final box scores will be delivered directly to the press table and auxiliary press boxes. Complete final boxes and fourth quarter play-by-plays will be available after the game in the media room.
- Telephones for the working media should be ordered through LouAnn Baker at 816-676-8695 and ask for a phone in the main media room with an extension on the press table. Reporters are requested to file their stories from the media room at the conclusion of the game.
- A limited number of complimentary tickets for members of the media are available. Requests should be made no later than 48 hours in advance of the game with early requests getting priority. They may be picked up 1½ hours before the game at "will call" window — Gate 1 on the northwest side of the arena.
- Telecopier and relay service is available by contacting the Kings office.

Special requests and additional information can be gained by contacting Julie Fie at the Kings' office (816/471-HOOP) or at her home (816/561-3221).

KANSAS CITY KINGS ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	College	Yrs. Pro
10	Don Buse	G	6-4	195	8-10-50	Evansville '72	12
22	Larry Drew	G	6-2	190	4-2-58	Missouri '80	4
8	Eddie Johnson	F	6-7	215	5-1-59	Illinois '81	3
33	Steve Johnson	C	6-10	245	11-3-57	Oregon St. '81	3
51	Reggie King	F	6-6	235	2-14-57	Alabama '79	5
25	Billy Knight	G-F	6-6	195	6-9-52	Pittsburgh '74	10
30	Kevin Loder	G	6-6	210	3-15-59	Alabama St. '81	3
50	Joe C. Meriweather	C	6-10	220	10-26-53	So. Illinois '75	9
40	Larry Micheaux	F	6-9	220	3-24-60	Houston '3	R (2nd round)
20	Eddie Nealy	F	6-7	240	2-19-60	Kansas St. '82	2
53	Mark Olberding	F	6-9	240	4-21-56	Minnesota '75	8
32	Dane Suttle	G	6-2	180	8-9-61	Pepperdine '83	R (7th round)
41	LaSalle Thompson	C	6-10	245	6-23-61	Texas '83	2
42	Mike Woodson	G	6-5	200	3-24-58	Indiana '80	4

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	No.	Name
8	Eddie Johnson	33	Steve Johnson
10	Don Buse	40	Larry Micheaux
20	Eddie Nealy	41	LaSalle Thompson
22	Larry Drew	42	Mike Woodson
25	Billy Knight	50	Joe C. Meriweather
30	Kevin Loder	51	Reggie King
32	Dane Suttle	53	Mark Olberding

General Manager	Joe Axelson
Head Coach	Cotton Fitzsimmons
Assistant Coach	Frank Hamblen
Assistant Coach/Scout	Gary Fitzsimmons
Trainer	Bill Jones



10 DON BUSE

POSITION : Guard
HEIGHT : 6-4
WEIGHT : 195
BIRTHDATE : 8-10-50
BIRTHPLACE : Huntingburg, IN
HIGH SCHOOL : Holland (Holland, IN)
COLLEGE : University of Evansville '72
WHEN DRAFTED : Third-Round by Phoenix '72 (34th pick)
HOW ACQUIRED : Free agent, September '83
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering His 12th Year
RESIDENCE : Phoenix, AZ

1982-83: Signed with Portland in January '83 as a veteran free agent... Played 41 games with Trail Blazers, averaging 4.7 points and 2.8 assists in 15.7 minutes... Tied for team lead in three-point field goals with nine... Led Blazers at the foul line with .891... Season best — 20 points vs. Denver 1/28... Had 10 assists in one game and nine in another...

COLLEGE: Played at Evansville University, leading the Aces to the NCAA Division II title... Also named the outstanding player of the year in the college division ranks the same year (1971)...

MISCELLANEOUS: Played five years with Indiana; four ABA, one NBA (three of which he was teammate to Billy Knight)... Traded to Phoenix, played three seasons... Returned to Pacers for 1980-81 and 1981-82... Played with Portland last year... Named to NBA all-defense first-team in 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980... Led NBA in assists and steals in 1977... Set NBA record for most three-point field goals in season (73) in 1982... ABA all-star second-team in 1976 and ABA all-defensive team member in 1975 and 1976... Member of the ABA championship team in 1973... Avid outdoorsman... Married, wife is Sheila...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
76-77 Indiana	81	2947	266-639	.416	114-145	.786	270	685	646	8.0
77-78 Phoenix	82	2547	287-626	.458	112-136	.824	249	391	686	8.4
78-79 Phoenix	82	2544	285-576	.495	70-91	.769	217	356	640	7.8
79-80 Phoenix	81	2499	261-589	.443	85-128	.664	233	320	626	7.7
80-81 Indiana	58	1095	114-287	.397	50-65	.769	84	140	297	5.1
81-82 Indiana	82	2529	312-685	.455	100-123	.813	223	407	797	9.7
83-83 Portland	41	643	72-182	.396	41-46	.891	54	115	194	4.7
Total	507	14804	1597-3584	.446	572-734	.779	1330	2414	3886	7.7

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 120-361 (.332)

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA PLAYOFFS

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
77-78 Phoenix	2	76	4-11	.364	0-0	.000	5	4	8	4.0
78-79 Phoenix	15	512	47-116	.405	24-33	.727	55	52	118	7.9
79-80 Phoenix	8	236	28-64	.438	7-11	.636	21	44	68	8.5
80-81 Indiana	2	35	1-8	.125	2-2	1.000	5	7	5	2.5
82-83 Portland	5	31	2-8	.250	3-4	.750	2	7	7	1.4
Total	32	890	82-207	.396	36-50	.720	88	114	206	6.4

PLAYOFF THREE POINTERS 6-17 (.353)

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
11	17	8	10	12	17	23

Career High Points vs. San Antonio 2/26/82

CAREER HIGHS — NBA PLAYOFFS

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
8	12	8	8	9	9	17



22 LARRY DREW

POSITION : *Guard*
HEIGHT : *6-2*
WEIGHT : *190*
BIRTHDATE : *4-2-58*
BIRTHPLACE : *Kansas City, KS*
HIGH SCHOOL : *Wyandotte H.S. (Kansas City, KS)*
COLLEGE : *Missouri '80*
WHEN DRAFTED : *First Round by Detroit '80*
 (#17 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : *Traded by Detroit for KC '82,*
 '84 Second Round Picks
PRO EXPERIENCE : *Entering Fourth Year*
RESIDENCE : *Shawnee Mission, KS*

1982-83: Led Kings in scoring (20.1) and assists (8.1) for the season... Ranked first in free throw % with a .820 mark... Had 73 double figure scoring games with 33 games of 20 or more points, four of 30 or more which included his career-hi of 33 vs. Hou 12/12... Had top assist honors in 48 games with 23 double figure assists nights accounting for 23 double doubles... Career-hi 15 assists vs. Chi 12/1 and vs. Hou 2/8... Was leading Kings scorer on 26 occasions... NBA Player-of-the-Month for December with Moses Malone as he averaged 22.5 points and 10.3 assists... Finished fourth in assists (8.1) in the NBA for the regular season... Led team in average minutes played...

COLLEGE: All-Big Eight and honorable mention at Missouri... Holds school records in all-time appearances (117), starts (114), consecutive starts (104), career assists (443), game assists (12 vs. Notre Dame, 1980) and career field goals made (557)... Twice scored collegiate high of 28 (vs. Valparaiso in 1978 and Alabama 1979)... Second leading scorer in Tiger history with 1,401 and 23rd in Big Eight history...

MISCELLANEOUS: Fifth of six children... Attended same high school as former King Lucius Allen... Spent much of his summer teaching basketball camps in Kansas and Missouri... Enjoys working with youth, reflective in his pursuit of a counseling and personal services degree at MU... Enjoys music ... Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
80-81 DET	76	1581	197- 484	.407	106-133	.797	120	249	504	6.6
81-82 KC	81	1973	358- 757	.473	150-189	.794	149	419	874	10.8
82-83 KC	75	2690	599-1218	.492	310-378	.822	207	610	1510	20.1
Total	232	6244	1154-2459	.469	566-700	.809	476	1278	2888	12.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 14-60 (.233)

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
13	27	15	18	2	7	8	15	6	2	33

Career High Points vs. Houston 1/21/83



8 EDDIE JOHNSON

POSITION : Forward
HEIGHT : 6-7
WEIGHT : 215
BIRTHDATE : 5-1-59
BIRTHPLACE : Chicago, IL
HIGH SCHOOL : Westinghouse (IL)
COLLEGE : Illinois '81
WHEN DRAFTED : Second Round by Kansas City '81 (#29 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : 1981 College Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering Third Year
RESIDENCE : Chicago, IL

1982-83: Has started 87 consecutive regular season games dating back to 4/11/82... Ended season as Kings second leading scorer (19.8) and first in rebounds (6.1)... Started every contest this year for Kings and led the team in total minutes played, averaging 35.8... Led KC in scoring 23 times and rebounding 19... Had 80 double figure scoring nights with 31 of 20 or more points and nine of 30 or more, which includes his career-hi 39 points vs. Utah 12/20... Has eight nights of 10 or more boards and a career-hi 15 vs. Milw 11/2... Has eight double figure scoring/rebounding nights for the season...

COLLEGE: Set Illinois career marks for scoring, rebounding, field goals and field goal attempts... Named Illinois "most valuable player" as both junior and senior... Led the Illini in 1981 to its first NCAA tournament berth since 1963... An honorable mention all-America pick by the Associated Press in 1980-81... First team AP and UPI all-Big Ten as a senior and second team AP and UPI as a junior... Special mention selection to THE SPORTING NEWS all-American team his junior and senior years... NIT all-tournament team selection in 1979-90 after directing Illinois to third place with his five-game totals of 93 points and 42 rebounds... Member of the NIT "all-star" squad which compiled a 5-3 record on 1980 European tour.

MISCELLANEOUS: Spent summer in Chicago finishing up his history degree through University of Illinois... Played in Chicago Summer league... Reads and lifts weights in free time... Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
81-82 KC	74	1517	295-643	.459	99-149	.664	322	109	609	9.3
82-83 KC	82	2933	677-1370	.494	247-317	.799	501	216	1621	19.8
Total	156	4450	972-2013	.483	346-466	.742	823	325	2311	14.8

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 21-82 (.256)

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
17	30	10	11	8	9	15	7	5	3	39

Career High Points vs. Utah 12/20/82



33 STEVE JOHNSON

POSITION	: Center
HEIGHT	: 6-10
WEIGHT	: 245
BIRTHDATE	: 11/3/57
BIRTHPLACE	: San Bernardino, CA
HIGH SCHOOL	: Gorgonio High School (CA)
COLLEGE	: Oregon State '81
WHEN DRAFTED	: First Round by Kansas City '81 (#7 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED	: 1981 College Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE	: Entering Third Year
RESIDENCE	: Portland, Oregon

1982-83: Ended the second consecutive season with team high field goal percentage (.624 in 82-83 and .613 in 81-82)... Played in 79 games, started 21... Had 45 double figure scoring nights with 12 games of 20 or more points... Led KC in scoring five times and rebounding 14... Had five double figure rebounding nights and five double figure scoring/rebounding games for the season... Season-hi 27 points vs. Utah 1/11 and 15 boards at Hou 2/8... During his rookie campaign he set two other KC single season marks for most personal fouls (372, also a NBA mark, which was broken this year by Darryl Dawkins, NJ, with 379) and disqualifications (25)...

COLLEGE: Unanimous choice for Pacific-10 "player-of-the-year" 1980-81... Led Oregon State to conference title with 17-1 record (26-2 overall)... Named to the all-conference team in both 1979-80 and 1980-81... Led Pac-10 in scoring and rebounding during his senior campaign... Member of numerous all-American teams... Set NCAA Division I records for best field goal percentage with .710 in 1979-80 and broke his own record in 1980-81 with .746... Established NCAA Div. I career mark for field goal percentage (minimum 400 scored) with .678... Also broke mark for minimum 600 scored of .651 set by Bill Walton (UCLA)... Set Oregon State career scoring mark with his 2,035 points and finished as third-leading scorer in Pacific-10 history (behind only Kareem Abdul-Jabbar's 2,325 and Ron Lee's 2,085)...

MISCELLANEOUS: Attended Pete Newell's renowned two-week course in fundamentals for "big" men in California for third straight summer... Wife is former Janice Inman, daughter of Stu Inman, Portland Trail Blazers General Manager/ Director of Player Personnel... They have a son, Marques, 4, and daughter Christin Marie, one...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
81-82 KC	78	1741	395-644	.613	212-330	.642	459	91	1002	12.8
82-83 KC	79	1544	371-595	.624	186-324	.574	398	95	928	11.7
Total	157	3285	766-1239	.618	398-654	.609	857	186	1930	12.3

CAREER THREE-POINTERS

None

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
14	23	9	15	8	10	18	7	4	4	33

Career High Points vs. Portland 1/3/82



51 REGINALD KING

POSITION : *Forward*
HEIGHT : *6-6*
WEIGHT : *235*
BIRTHDATE : *2-14-57*
BIRTHPLACE : *Birmingham, AL*
HIGH SCHOOL : *Jackson-Olin (AL)*
COLLEGE : *Alabama '79*
WHEN DRAFTED : *First Round by Kansas City '79*
(#18 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : *1979 College Draft*
PRO EXPERIENCE : *Entering Fifth Year*
RESIDENCE : *Kansas City, KS*

1982-83: Played in 58 games total, started five this season... Had seven double figure scoring nights, including a season-hi 17 points vs. Ind 3/4... Had two double figure rebounding nights with one double figure scoring/rebounding night... Played in the California summer league with Kings team...

COLLEGE: When teamed with Leon Douglas at Bama, Crimson Tide finished 23-5, won the SEC title and lost 74-69 in NCAA Midwest quarterfinals to eventual champ Indiana... Shot .56 percent from the field for career... Named to several all-American teams both junior and senior campaigns, unanimous all-SEC for three seasons and two-time SEC "player of the year."

MISCELLANEOUS: Also played collegiately with Denver's T.R. Dunn...Lists baseball as second favorite sport...Enjoys soul music...Used to roller skate often...Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
79-80 KC	82	2052	257-499	.515	159-219	.726	566	106	673	8.2
80-81 KC	81	2743	472-867	.544	264-386	.684	786	122	1208	14.9
81-82 KC	80	2609	383-752	.509	201-285	.705	523	173	.967	12.2
82-83 KC	58	995	104-225	.462	73-90	.760	240	58	281	4.8
Total	301	8399	1216-2343	.519	697-986	.706	2115	459	3129	10.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 0-1 (.000)

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA PLAYOFFS

Sea-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	OFF-DEF	TOT	AST	PF-DQ	ST	BS	PTS	AVG
79-80 KC	3	77	10-21	.426	5-9	.556	7-18	25	4	10-0	1	0	25	8.3
80-81 KC	15	620	122-248	.492	75-102	.735	56-93	145	25	49-0	18	10	319	21.3
Total	18	697	132-269	.490	80-111	.720	63-111	174	29	59-0	19	10	344	19.1

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
15	22	12	18	9	17	20	9	5	4	33

CAREER HIGHS — NBA PLAYOFFS

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
13	24	10	13	16	6	31

Career High Points vs. Portland 2/8/81 & New York 11/17/81



25 BILLY KNIGHT

POSITION : Guard
HEIGHT : 6-6
WEIGHT : 210
BIRTHDATE : 6-9-52
BIRTHPLACE : Braddock, PA
HIGH SCHOOL : Braddock, (Pittsburgh, PA)
COLLEGE : Pittsburgh, '74
WHEN DRAFTED : First-Round by Indiana '74 (ABA Draft)
HOW ACQUIRED : Trade With New York and Indiana 9/17/83
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering 10th Year
RESIDENCE : Indianapolis, IN

1982-83: Captained the Indiana club last season... Significantly improved his numbers over the previous campaign, averaging 17.1 points per game... Had three of the four best Pacer scoring efforts with 41 points (vs. Detroit 3/13 & vs. Cleveland 12/3) and 40 points (vs. Philadelphia 3/15)... Scored in double digits 65 times and 20 or more 34 times... Pacers leading scorer in 16 contests, tying for the lead in three other... Team's most accurate shooter (.520) from the field and was second from the foul line (.841)... Had Pacer season marks for the most field goals made in a game (18 vs. Cleveland 12/3) and most free throws made (17 vs. Philadelphia 3/15)... Had single game bests of 14 rebounds (@ L.A. 1/23) and nine assists (vs. Washington 10/29, equalling a career high)...

COLLEGE: Played three years at Pittsburgh (72-74)... Scored 22.2 points and grabbed 12 rebounds per contest in 78 collegiate contests... Named to The Sporting News college All-America second team in 1974...

MISCELLANEOUS: Originally the Lakers second-round selection in the '74 draft, opted for the ABA and Indiana... Has seen playing time with Buffalo, Boston, and again with Indiana (since '79)... Named to the ABA all-star first team in 1976, NBA all-star team in 1977 and ABA all-rookie team in 1975... A solid tennis player, won the 1981 NBA players association tourney... Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
76-77 Indiana	78	3117	831-1687	.493	413-506	.816	582	260	2075	26.6
77-78 Buffalo	53	2155	457-926	.494	301-372	.809	383	161	1215	22.9
78-79 Bos-In	79	2095	441-835	.528	249-296	.841	347	152	1131	14.3
79-80 Indiana	75	1910	385-722	.533	212-262	.809	361	155	986	13.2
80-81 Indiana	82	2385	546-1025	.533	341-410	.832	410	157	1436	17.5
81-82 Indiana	81	1803	378-764	.495	233-282	.826	257	118	998	12.3
82-83 Indiana	80	2262	512-984	.520	343-408	.841	324	192	1370	17.1
Total	528	15727	3550-6943	.511	2092-2536	.825	2664	1195	9211	17.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 19-58 (.224)

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA PLAYOFFS

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
80-81 Indiana	2	71	16-30	.533	5-8	.625	12	5	37	18.5
Total	2	71	16-30	.533	5-8	.625	12	5	37	18.5

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
20	32	17	18	16	9	52

CAREER HIGHS — NBA PLAYOFFS

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
10	18	5	7	7	4	25



30 KEVIN LODER

POSITION	: Guard-Forward
HEIGHT	: 6-6
WEIGHT	: 210
BIRTHDATE	: 3-15-59
BIRTHPLACE	: Cassopolis, MI
HIGH SCHOOL	: Beatty H.S. (MI)
COLLEGE	: Alabama State '81
WHEN DRAFTED	: First Round by Kansas City '81 (#17 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED	: 1981 College Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE	: Entering Third Year
RESIDENCE	: Cassopolis, MI

1982-83: Played in 66 games total, started 13 for the season, while averaging 12.4 minutes per contest... Had seven double figure scoring nights including a career-hi 25 points vs. Den 12/22 and season-hi nine boards vs. Phil 1/28... Played with Kings on Southern California Summer Pro League team, averaged 14.8 points in 24.5 minutes while shooting .581 from the field...

COLLEGE: Two-time NAIA first-team all-American selection in 1980 and 1981... Named to the 1980 national tournament first-team... Two-time NAIA District 27 "player of the year"... Recipient of the John B. McLendon Award (the most outstanding basketball player among predominately black colleges)... Led ASU in both rebounding and scoring, averaging 23.3 PPG points per game and 7.8 rebounds and 3.6 assists during 1981 season... Scored in double figures in 58 straight games before six-point effort in 26-23 win over stalling AUM team in the final regular-season game... Finished his college career scoring 18 points for the South in their defeat of Midwest in the 1981 Aloha Classic...

MISCELLANEOUS: Not only prep basketball standout, an all-state football player and No. 1 tennis singles player at Ross Beatty H.S.... Propositioned by the Kings after his junior year, but opted to finish his college eligibility and degree... Earned BS in marketing... Enjoys music, especially jazz... Recipient of the Kings 1982 "Bruce Rice Award" (most popular player by vote of the fans), indicative of many off-the-court hours with youth and civic groups... Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
81-82 KC	71	1139	208-448	.464	77-107	.720	126	88	493	6.9
82-83 KC	66	818	138-300	.460	53-80	.663	125	72	334	5.1
Total	137	1957	346-748	.463	130-187	.695	320	160	827	6.1

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 5-20 (.400)

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
11	18	7	9	5	7	12	6	3	2	25

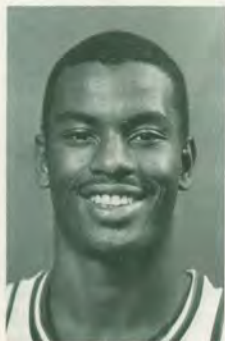
Career High Points vs. Cleveland 1/13/82



40 LARRY MICHEAUX

POSITION	: Forward
HEIGHT	: 6-9
WEIGHT	: 220
BIRTHDATE	: 3-24-60
BIRTHPLACE	: Houston, TX
HIGH SCHOOL	: Worthing H.S.
COLLEGE	: Houston '83
WHEN DRAFTED	: Second Round by Chicago (#29 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED	: Traded by Chicago for rights to KC's #2 pick Chris McNealy in '83 draft and 1984 second round pick
PRO EXPERIENCE	: Rookie
RESIDENCE	: Houston, TX

COLLEGE: Named Midwest Regional most valuable player in 1983... Performance gave him an all-Midwest Regional team spot for second consecutive season... Has played in a total of 11 NCAA tournament games and has shot 50% or better from the field in all but two... Earned 1983 first-team all-district 6 (USBWA) and all-district 9 (coaches) honors and a second consecutive consensus all-SWC second-team selection... was second in SWC in field goal percentage in 1983 after leading the league the two prior seasons... Only the fourth cougar to start all four seasons (Otis Birdsong, 1973-77; Donnie Schverak, 1960-64 and Lloyd Hendrix, 1947-51)... Is second to ex-Kings player Otis Birdsong in many Houston statistical categories: second player to start over 100 games (107-123), Birdsong started 108-116... Played 3,418 minutes—Birdsong played 4,062... Started 80 straight games for the Cougars... Ranks no. 10 in Cougar all-time scoring (1312) and sixth in all-time rebounding (787)... Won honors as UH's most-improved player after his sophomore and junior seasons...



32 DANE SUTTLE

POSITION	: Guard
HEIGHT	: 6-2
WEIGHT	: 180
BIRTHDATE	: 8-9-61
BIRTHPLACE	: Los Angeles, CA
HIGH SCHOOL	: Freemont H.S.
COLLEGE	: Pepperdine University
WHEN DRAFTED	: Seventh-round by Kansas City '83 (#152 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED	: 1983 College Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE	: Rookie
RESIDENCE	: Los Angeles, CA

COLLEGE: 1982-83 co-most valuable player in the West Coast Athletic Conference along with teammate Orlando Phillips (drafted by Lakers, third-round, their first choice in the draft)... All-District 15 and Associated Press all-American honorable mention (1982-83)... Pepperdine all-time leading scorer (1,702 points), as well as first in assists (352) and steals (102)... Ranked 14th in the nation in scoring, averaging 23.5 ppg for the 1982-83 campaign... All-West Coast Athletic Conference recipient (1981-82)... Touts a .814 career free-throw shooting percentage...



20 EDDIE NEALY

POSITION : Forward
HEIGHT : 6-7
WEIGHT : 240
BIRTHDATE : 2-19-60
BIRTHPLACE : Pittsburg, KS
HIGH SCHOOL : Bonner Springs, H.S. (KS)
COLLEGE : Kansas State University '82
WHEN DRAFTED : Eighth Round by Kansas City '82
 (#166 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : 1982 College Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering Second Year
RESIDENCE : Bonner Springs, KS

1982-83: One of only two players to see action in all of KC's contests (along with E. Johnson)... Ended the season in rebounding (5.9) as he led KC 18 games... Had 10 double figure rebounding nights with a career-hi 13 set vs. Denver 1/25 and matched vs. Phoenix 2/16 and vs. Detroit 3/3... Scored in double figures nine times with a career high 16 vs. Denver 4/6... Had four double figure scoring/ rebounding nights for the season... Started 61 games, averaging 20.0 minutes per contest... One of eight NBA players last year to average more rebounds than points and one of only four rookies to play in all 82 games... Played in the Southern California Summer Pro league this summer, averaging 8.3 points, 6.1 boards and 21.4 minutes...

COLLEGE: Earned all-Big Eight and academic all-American honors as a senior... During junior campaign named second-team all-conference and second-team academic all-American... Led the Big Eight in rebounds for three consecutive seasons with averages of 8.7 (1979-80), 9.1 (1980-81), 8.8 (1981-82)... Ranks third on the conference all-time rebounding charts (8.7 career average)... No. 1 on KSU all-time rebounding list with 1071 career rebounds... Career rebounding high 20 vs. Louisville 1981... Holds Big Eight record with 17 straight field goals... Tabbed to West Regional first-team following 1980-81 NCAA post-season play (35 points, 30 rebounds and eight assists in three games)... Named 1979 Big Eight "newcomer of the year"...

MISCELLANEOUS: Prepped at nearby Bonner Springs H.S... All-state in both football and basketball... Honor student majoring in both engineering technology and business... One of six children, all girls except Ed... Brother-in-law to Kings pr director Craig Thompson... Single...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
82-83 KC	82	1643	147-247	.595	70-114	.614	485	62	364	4.4
Total	82	1643	147-247	.595	70-114	.614	485	62	364	4.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS None

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
6	10	4	8	7	11	13	3	4	2	16

Career High Points vs. Denver 4/6/83



53 MARK OLBERDING

POSITION : Forward
HEIGHT : 6-9
WEIGHT : 240
BIRTHDATE : 4-21-56
BIRTHPLACE : Melrose, MN
HIGH SCHOOL : Melrose H.S.
COLLEGE : Minnesota '75
WHEN DRAFTED : First-Round by San Antonio '75 (ABA Draft)
HOW ACQUIRED : Traded by Chicago for draft rights to Ennis Whitley (KC's first-round pick in '83)
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering Ninth Year
RESIDENCE : Leawood, KS

1982-83: Traded prior to the start of the season to Chicago along with Dave Corzine in a deal that sent Artis Gilmore to San Antonio... Had previously spent seven years in a Spurs uniform... Passed the 5000-point milestone last season (5,697 career points) and averaged 8.7 points per game... Had 31 double figure scoring nights, three of 20 or more points and a season-hi of 28 vs. Detroit 1/4... Had double figure rebounding on three occasions with a season-hi of 13 vs. Atlanta 12/21... Totaled two double figure scoring/rebounding nights...

COLLEGE: Played one year at Minnesota before signing a pro contract... That season was named Big Ten Freshman of the Year... Teamed with Portland's Mychal Thompson and LA's Mark Landsberger...

MISCELLANEOUS: Signed a pro contract with the spurs of the ABA in '75... Contract rights were sold to San Diego of the ABA... That team folded in November and returned to the Spurs in the Dispersal draft... Named to ABA all-rookie team in 1976... Has seven years of playoff experience... Enjoys golf in the off-season... Married, wife is former Joan Ford...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
76-77 S. Ant.	82	1949	301-598	.503	251-316	.794	449	119	853	10.4
77-78 S. Ant.	79	1773	231-480	.481	184-227	.811	373	131	646	8.2
78-79 S. Ant.	80	1885	261-551	.474	233-290	.803	429	211	755	9.4
79-80 S. Ant.	75	2111	291-609	.478	210-264	.795	418	327	792	10.6
80-81 S. Ant.	82	2408	348-685	.508	315-380	.829	471	277	1012	12.3
81-82 S. Ant.	68	2098	333-705	.472	273-338	.808	439	202	941	13.8
82-83 Chicago	80	1817	251-522	.481	194-248	.782	358	131	698	8.7
Total	546	14041	2016-4150	.486	1660-2063	.805	2937	1398	5697	10.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 5-34 (.147)

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA PLAYOFFS

Sea.—Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
76-77 S. Ant.	2	42	5-9	.556	3-6	.500	7	2	13	6.5
77-78 S. Ant.	6	152	25-51	.490	13-15	.867	30	14	63	10.5
78-79 S. Ant.	14	359	41-103	.398	29-37	.784	69	33	111	7.9
79-80 S. Ant.	3	97	13-23	.565	3-4	.750	22	11	29	9.7
80-81 S. Ant.	7	254	58-105	.552	21-25	.840	41	30	138	19.7
81-82 S. Ant.	9	328	53-120	.442	26-31	.839	58	32	132	14.7
Total	41	1232	195-411	.474	95-118	.805	227	122	486	11.9

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
13	21	14	17	17	12	30

Career High Points vs. Golden State 11/21/81

CAREER HIGHS — NBA PLAYOFFS

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
14	20	7	9	13	8	34

Career High Points vs. Houston 4/8/81



41 LaSALLE THOMPSON

POSITION : Center
HEIGHT : 6-10
WEIGHT : 245
BIRTHDATE : 6-23-61
BIRTHPLACE : Cincinnati, OH
HIGH SCHOOL : Withrow High (Cincinnati, OH)
COLLEGE : University of Texas '83
WHEN DRAFTED : First Round by Kansas City '82
 (#5 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : 1982 Draft
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering Second Year
RESIDENCE : Cincinnati, OH

1982-83: Played 71 total games, starting three and averaging 13.9 minutes per contest... Had 14 double figure scoring nights and eight double figure rebounding nights for five double figure scoring/rebounding campaigns... Career-hi 16 points vs. Den 12/22, 15 rebounds vs. Atl 1/2, and 41 minutes vs. Utah 4/9... Led Kings in rebounding in 16 games... Led team in rebounds per minute, grabbing a board every 2.6 minutes played... Played with the Kings in the Southern California Summer Pro League and was named to the all-league first team... Led the summer league in rebounds with 13.1 pg while averaging 16.5 points, 3.6 blocked shots and 36.8 minutes while shooting .603 from the field in 13 games total...

COLLEGE: Led NCAA Division I rebounding in 1981-82 with 13.5 average; fifth as a sophomore with 12.3 average... Second highest career rebounding average among active players in 1981-82 with 11.8 (behind only Kevin Magee's 12.3)... One of only 10 Division I players to score at least 18 points per game, grab 10 rebounds and shoot 50% from the field in 81-82... Consensus first-team All-Southwest Conference choice as a sophomore and junior and consensus second-team pick as freshman... Led Southwest Conference in rebounding in each of his three seasons with consecutive averages of 10.8, 12.4, and 13.9 (conference games only)... Led Texas in rebounding each of his three seasons with consecutive averages of 9.7, 12.3 and 13.5... Double figure rebounder in 24 of 30 games as sophomore, 22 of 27 games as junior... Set all Texas rebounding records; single game (21, vs. SMU 1/9/81), most rebounds season (370 in 1980-81), highest rebound average in season (13.5 in 1981-82) and career (1,027)... Led Texas in scoring sophomore and junior years and fourth in conference scoring as sophomore (18.2) and junior (19.5)... Career high 32 points vs. Texas A & M 1/26/81 and Arkansas 1/16/82...

MISCELLANEOUS: Rates reading at the top of free time activities (preferably mystery, horror, and thrillers) . . . Also a movie buff . . . Enjoys listening to all kinds of music, especially jazz . . . Fisherman at heart . . . Declared NBA eligibility after junior year at Texas . . . Was pursuing advertising degree which he plans to finish in summer school . . . Loves meeting and talking with people and is game for public appearances . . . Single . . .

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
82-83 KC	71	987	147-287	.512	89-137	.647	375	33	383	5.4
Total	71	987	147-287	.512	89-137	.647	375	33	383	5.4

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 0-1 (.000)

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
8	14	6	9	9	9	15	3	4	4	16

Career High Points vs. Denver 2/22/82



42 MIKE WOODSON

POSITION : Guard
HEIGHT : 6-5
WEIGHT : 200
BIRTHDATE : 3-24-58
BIRTHPLACE : Indianapolis, IN
HIGH SCHOOL : Broad Ripple, (Indianapolis)
COLLEGE : Indiana University '80
WHEN DRAFTED : First Round by New York Knicks '80 (#12 Overall)
HOW ACQUIRED : Trade with New Jersey, 11/12/81
PRO EXPERIENCE : Entering Fourth Year
RESIDENCE : Kansas City, MO

1982-83: Ended season shooting 51% from the field and 79% from the line... Played in 81 games, starting only three contests... Leads the league in scoring off the bench (18.2)... Led KC in steals with 137 total... Had a career-hi 48 points vs. Hou 2/20 as he went 22-24 fgs... Set the NBA mark for most field goals made in a single game for the season as well as most points scored in Kemper Arena, most field goals made in Kemper Arena and tied most field goals made in KC history (Jack Twyman '59 and Tiny Archibald '73)... Has been Kings leading scorer on 20 occasions hitting in double figures 77 games, with 20 nights over 20 points, three over 30, and one over 40...

COLLEGE: Played four years of varsity basketball under Indiana's Bobby Knight... Missed seven weeks of his senior year due to a herniated back disc... Still came back to lead the Hoosiers to the NIT title in MSG where he made the all-tournament team and was named MVP... Was co-captain of the United States team which won a gold medal in the 1979 Pan American Games... Was named MVP in the '79 Indiana Classic and won all-tourney honors three straight years... Also won all-tourney honors in the Far West Classic and the Gator Bowl... Averaged 21.0 points per game in his junior season...

MISCELLANEOUS: Acquired in a trade with New Jersey 11/12/82 along with a '81 first round pick (Brook Steppe) that sent Sam Lacey to Nets... Teammate of Kent Benson (Detroit), Isiah Thomas (Detroit), and Ray Tolbert in college... Majored in recreation administration... Spent much of summer working camps... Married former Terri Waters in August '81...

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

Sea.-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
80-81 NY	81	949	165-373	.442	49-64	.766	97	75	380	4.7
81-82 NJ-KC	83	2331	538-1069	.503	221-286	.773	247	222	1304	15.7
82-83 KC	81	2426	584-1154	.506	298-377	.790	248	254	1473	18-2
Total	245	5706	1287-2596	.496	568-727	.781	592	551	3157	12.9

CAREER THREE-POINTERS 15-52 (.288)

CAREER STATISTICS — NBA PLAYOFFS

Sea.-Team	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PTS	AVG
80-81 NY	2	8	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	2	0	4	2.0
Total	2	8	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	2	0	4	2.0

CAREER HIGHS — NBA REGULAR SEASON

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	AST	ST	BS	PTS
22	24	12	14	5	6	8	8	6	3	48

Career High Points vs. Houston 2/20/83

CAREER HIGHS — NBA PLAYOFFS

FGM	FGA	FTM	FTA	REB	AST	PTS
1	2	2	2	1	0	4

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1982-83 MARKS THIRD BEST IN CLUB HISTORY

November 4, 1982 — Signed first round draft pick LaSalle Thompson to a multi-year contract.

November 19, 1982 — Waived Leon Douglas and activated LaSalle Thompson.

November 25, 1982 — By winning 88-79 at Houston, the Kings won their fourth straight road game, a KC-era record.

November 27, 1982 — Won sixth straight game 105-99 over Phoenix, setting second longest win streak in KC-era history. The 8-3 mark was also the best start in history of the Kansas City franchise.

December 1, 1982 — Won 143-132 over Chicago with the third highest point total in club history. Larry Drew and Mike Woodson each scored 24 pts., while Bulls' Orlando Woolridge scored 31.

December 5, 1982 — Pushed the record to seven straight wins in St. Louis with a 106-103 victory over Seattle.

December 22, 1982 — Scored the most points (146) and won by the widest margin (44) in club history in beating Denver 146-102 at Kemper Arena. Kevin Loder had 25 points for K.C., Ed Nealy added 10 rebounds and Larry Drew 14 assists.

December 28, 1982 — In front of the third largest crowd in Kemper Arena history, the Kings scored a 129-124 victory with Eddie Johnson notching 30 points. The victory pushed the Kings record to 17-9.

January 5, 1983 — Larry Drew and Moses Malone were named the co-winners of the NBA/Pepsi Challenge December player of the month. It was the first time in the 3-year history of the award that co-winners were named. Drew averaged 22.5 points and 10.3 assists as the Kings were 9-5, including two overtime losses.

January 7, 1983 — In thrashing Utah 139-117, the Kings pushed their record to 20-11 and the .645 winning percentage was the highest of the year. Eddie Johnson scored 34 points.

February 9, 1983 — Beat Golden State 103-98 at Kemper Arena, making the record 25-25 before the all-star break. The victory concluded a 19-game stretch in which they lost 14.

February 15, 1983 — Traded Reggie Johnson to Philadelphia for cash and activated Kenny Dennard.

February 20, 1983 — Mike Woodson had a night he'll never forget. In scoring 48 pts. in 32 minutes on 22 of 24 field goals, Woody set the following records: Tied the all-time franchise record of made field goals in one game with Jack Twyman and Nate Archibald; tied Archibald for the sixth highest scoring game in KC-era history; set Kemper Arena records for most points in a single game and most field goals made.

March 9, 1983 — Beat Dallas 129-113 at home for their fourth consecutive victory, but slipped and lost five straight.

March 20, 1983 — Beat Golden State 128-114 at Kemper Arena, starting a late-season surge that included 13 victories in 16 games. In a seven-game span they won six times on the road.

April 6, 1983 — In a crucial contest as far as playoff contention, won 130-113 over Denver at Kemper Arena behind Eddie Johnson's 26 and 23 each from Steve Johnson and Larry Drew. Both Clubs had 40-36 marks after the game.

April 13, 1983 — Extended the winning streak to five games with a 114-103 win over Atlanta at home and moved the record to 44-36. Ray Williams scored 32 points and Eddie Johnson 27.

April 17, 1983 — The 1982-83 season came to a screeching halt as Denver beat the Kings 125-116 at McNichols Arena in the Mile High City. Larry Drew scored 32 points, but Denver's front line of Alex English, Kiki Vandeweghe and Dan Issel combined for 91 points. Both clubs ended tied at 45-37 in the race for the final playoff berth in the Western Conference. The first tie breaker was head-to-head competition and both teams each won three games at home. The Nuggets won on the second tie breaker with a 34-26 conference record to the Kings 31-29.

1982-83 NBA REGULAR SEASONS FINAL STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

ATLANTIC DIVISION	W	L	PCT	GB
Philadelphia	65	17	.793	—
Boston	56	26	.683	9
New Jersey	49	33	.598	16
New York	44	38	.537	21
Washington	42	40	.512	23

CENTRAL DIVISION	W	L	PCT	GB
Milwaukee	51	31	.622	—
Atlanta	43	39	.524	8
Detroit	37	45	.451	14
Chicago	28	54	.341	23
Cleveland	23	59	.280	28
Indiana	20	62	.244	31

WESTERN CONFERENCE

MIDWEST DIVISION	W	L	PCT	GB
San Antonio	53	29	.646	—
Denver	45	37	.549	8
Kansas City	45	37	.549	8
Dallas	38	44	.463	15
Utah	30	52	.369	23
Houston	14	68	.170	39

PACIFIC DIVISION	W	L	PCT	GB
Los Angeles	58	24	.707	—
Phoenix	53	29	.646	5
Seattle	48	34	.585	10
Portland	46	36	.561	12
Golden State	30	52	.369	28
San Diego	25	57	.305	33

1982-83 KINGS GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

GAME	DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	W/L	RECORD	ATTEND.	SITE	HI SCORER
1	10/29	113-111	Portland	W	1-0	12,492	KC	Drew/ E. Johnson-19
2	11/2	119-112	Milwaukee	W	2-0	7,442	KC	E. Johnson-34
3	11/5	113-118	Dallas	L	2-1	7,357	KC	S. Johnson-26
4	11/9	117-139	Los Angeles	L	2-2	12,402	LA	E. Johnson-27
5	11/10	100-106	Phoenix	L	2-3	10,148	Phoenix	E. Johnson-21
6	11/13	112-111	San Diego	W	3-3	6,437	San Diego	E. Johnson-35
7	11/16	105-102	San Antonio	W	4-3	8,943	San Antonio	Woodson-22
8	11/20	127-120	Dallas	W	5-3	9,911	Dallas	Drew-27
9	11/24	122-112	Detroit	W	6-3	8,225	KC	Williams-28
10	11/25	88-79	Houston	W	7-3	8,583	Houston	E. Johnson-19
11	11/27	105-99	Phoenix	W	8-3	8,107	KC	Drew-21
12	11/28	110-118	Cleveland	L	8-4	1,989	Cleveland	Williams-26
13	11/30	103-112	New Jersey	L	8-5	9,662	NJ	Drew-29
14	12/1	143-132	Chicago	W	9-5	5,425	KC	Drew/ Woodson-24
15	12/3	107-123	Golden State	L	9-6	5,882	KC	E. Johnson-27
16	12/5	106-103	Seattle	W	10-6	8,180	St. Louis	Drew-24
17*	12/8	101-102	San Antonio	L	10-7	6,211	KC	Drew-26
18	12/10	118-106	San Diego	W	11-7	5,435	KC	Drew-28
19	12/11	122-110	San Antonio	W	12-7	9,044	San Antonio	Woodson-34
20	12/15	119-118	New Jersey	W	13-7	7,440	KC	Drew-31
21	12/17	90-93	Seattle	L	13-8	11,263	Seattle	Drew-20
22	12/18	106-90	Golden State	W	14-8	7,268	Golden State	E. Johnson-26
23*	12/20	117-119	Utah	L	14-9	7,082	Utah	E. Johnson-39
24	12/22	146-102	Denver	W	15-9	6,439	KC	Loder-25
25	12/26	120-118	Utah	W	16-9	6,059	KC	E. Johnson-27
26	12/28	129-124	Boston	W	17-9	16,482	KC	E. Johnson-30
27	12/30	107-113	Portland	L	17-10	9,704	KC	S. Johnson-21
28	1/2	108-104	Atlanta	W	18-10	4,558	Atlanta	Drew-19
29	1/4	121-137	Denver	L	18-11	7,989	Denver	Williams-26
30	1/5	138-118	Denver	W	19-11	7,222	KC	Woodson-26
31	1/7	139-117	Utah	W	20-11	7,818	KC	E. Johnson-34
32	1/8	113-125	Philadelphia	L	20-12	16,522	Philadelphia	Williams/ Woodson-23
33	1/11	98-106	Utah	L	20-13	8,595	Utah	S. Johnson-27
34	1/12	118-113	San Antonio	W	21-13	8,719	KC	S. Johnson-23
35	1/14	120-127	San Diego	L	21-14	3,012	San Diego	E. Johnson/ Williams-24

GAME	DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	W/L	RECORD	ATTEND.	SITE	HI SCORER
36	1/15	110-121	Portland	L	21-15	12,666	Portland	Woodson-22
37	1/16	96-111	Seattle	L	21-16	14,253	Seattle	R. Williams-20
38	1/19	91-88	New York	W	22-16	11,565	KC	Drew-23
39	1/21	115-108	Houston	W	23-16	7,129	KC	Drew-33
40	1/23	92-102	Phoenix	L	23-17	7,065	KC	Drew-19
41	1/25	112-119	Denver	L	23-18	8,133	Denver	Drew-22
42	1/26	115-125	Dallas	L	23-19	5,156	KC	Drew/ Woodson-20
43	1/28	99-114	Philadephia	L	23-20	16,896	KC	Woodson-16
44	1/29	122-133	Indiana	L	23-21	5161	Indiana	Williams-35
45	1/31	97-114	New York	L	23-22	8,046	NY	Williams-18
46	2/2	117-115	Washington	W	24-22	4,827	Wash	Woodson-28
47	2/4	125-143	Los Angeles	L	24-23	19,206	St. Louis	Woodson-22
48	2/6	106-116	Los Angeles	L	24-24	17,505	LA	Drew-18
49*	2/8	115-116	Houston	L	24-25	6,506	Houston	E. Johnson-22
50	2/9	103-98	Golden State	W	25-25	6,084	KC	Woodson-21
51	2/16	102-111	Phoenix	L	25-26	6,078	St. Louis	Drew-32
52	2/18	124-118	Los Angeles	W	26-26	15,116	KC	Williams-25
53	2/20	128-106	Houston	W	27-26	5,737	KC	Woodson-48
54	2/23	113-107	Washington	W	28-26	5,525	KC	Drew-28
55	2/25	125-131	San Antonio	L	28-27	9,079	KC	E. Johnson-32
56	2/26	107-118	Dallas	L	28-28	14,039	Dallas	Woodson-28
57	3/1	111-129	Boston	L	28-29	15,320	Boston	Williams-24
58	3/3	125-118	Detroit	W	29-29	7,258	Detroit	E. Johnson-30
59	3/4	120-103	Indiana	W	30-29	6,414	KC	Drew-22
60	3/6	144-105	San Diego	W	31-29	5,566	KC	Woodson-22
61	3/9	129-113	Dallas	W	32-29	11,556	KC	E. Johnson-29
62	3/11	100-108	Milwaukee	L	32-30	11,052	Milw	S. Johnson-30
63*	3/13	115-120	Seattle	L	32-31	7,754	KC	Drew-22
64	3/15	98-115	Portland	L	32-32	12,666	Portland	Woodson-26
65	3/16	102-110	Seattle	L	32-33	10,981	Seattle	Drew-24
66	3/18	96-109	Los Angeles	L	32-34	15,817	LA	Drew-23
67	3/20	128-114	Golden State	W	33-34	5,773	KC	Woodson-30
68	3/22	117-94	Cleveland	W	34-34	4,924	KC	Woodson-23
69	3/24	95-112	Phoenix	L	34-35	10,087	Phoenix	S. Johnson-27
70	3/26	114-111	Dallas	W	35-35	14,574	Dallas	Drew-25
71	3/27	110-95	Portland	W	36-35	6,495	KC	E. Johnson-28
72	3/29	111-95	Houston	W	37-35	6,291	Houston	Woodson-28
73	4/1	135-119	San Diego	W	38-35	3,267	San Diego	Williams-36
74	4/2	122-112	Golden State	W	39-35	5,232	Golden State	E. Johnson-33
75	4/5	113-130	San Antonio	L	39-36	7,887	San Antonio	Woodson-16
76	4/6	130-113	Denver	W	40-36	7,130	KC	E. Johnson-26
77	4/8	112-97	Utah	W	41-36	8,664	KC	E. Johnson-26
78	4/9	108-102	Utah	W	42-36	8,968	Utah	Williams-23
79	4/12	112-102	Chicago	W	43-36	3,936	Chicago	Woodson-34
80	4/13	114-103	Atlanta	W	44-36	8,429	KC	Williams-32
81	4/15	117-102	Houston	W	45-36	8,379	KC	E. Johnson/ Drew-20
82	4/17	116-125	Denver	L	45-37	17,619	Denver	Drew-32

*Overtime

In what year did the NBA adopt the 24-second clock?

The 24-second clock was first used in the 1954-55 season. With the shot clock team scoring averages increased by 13.5 points per game.

Who holds the career record for most games with 50 or more points? The NBA records for most games with 50 or more points in a career is held by Wilt Chamberlain. Wilt scored 50 or more tallies 122 times in his career.

1982-83 NBA STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL SCORING LEADERS

Minimum 70 games played or 1400 points

Player/Team	G	FG	FT	PTS	AVG	Player/Team	G	FG	FT	PTS	AVG
English, Den.	82	959	406	2326	28.4	Bird, Bos.	79	747	351	1867	23.6
Vandeweghe, Den.	82	841	489	2186	26.7	Thomas, Det.	81	725	368	1854	22.9
Tripucka, Det.	58	565	392	1536	26.5	Moncrief, Mil.	76	606	499	1712	22.5
Gervin, S.A.	78	757	517	2043	26.2	Griffith, Utah	77	752	167	1709	22.2
Malone, Phil.	78	654	600	1908	24.5	King, N.Y.	68	603	280	1486	21.9
Aguirre, Dall.	81	767	429	1979	24.4	Abdul-Jabbar, L.A.	79	722	278	1722	21.8
Carroll, G.S.	79	785	337	1907	24.1	Paxson, Port.	81	682	388	1756	21.7
Free, Clev.	73	649	430	1743	23.9	Issel, Den.	80	661	400	1726	21.6
Theus, Chi.	82	749	434	1953	23.8	Short, G.S.	67	589	255	1437	21.4
Cummings, S.D.	70	684	292	1660	23.7	Ma. Johnson, Mil.	80	723	264	1471	21.4

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE

Minimum 300 FG Made

Player/Team	FG	FBA	PCT
Gilmore, S.A.	556	888	.626
S. Johnson, K.C.	371	595	.624
Dawkins, N.J.	401	669	.599
Abdul-Jabbar, L.A.	722	1228	.588
Williams, N.J.	536	912	.588
Woolridge, Chi.	361	622	.580
Worthy, L.A.	447	772	.579
Davis, Dall.	359	628	.572
Cartwright, N.Y.	455	804	.566
Ruland, Wash.	580	1051	.552

FREE THROW PERCENTAGE

Minimum 125 FT Made

Player/Team	FT	FTA	PCT.
Murphy, Hou.	138	150	.920
Vandeweghe, Den.	489	559	.875
Macy, Phoe.	129	148	.872
Gervin, S.A.	517	606	.853
Daniley, Utah.	210	248	.847
Davis, Dall.	186	220	.845
Tripuka, Det.	392	461	.845
Knight, Ind.	343	408	.841
Bird, Bos.	351	418	.840
Sikma, Sea.	400	478	.837

REBOUNDS

Minimum 70 games or 800 rebounds

Player/Team	G	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG.
Malone, Phil.	78	445	749	1194	15.3
Williams, N.J.	82	365	662	1027	12.5
Laimbeer, Det.	82	282	711	993	12.1
Gilmore, S.A.	82	299	685	984	12.0
Sikma, Sea.	75	213	645	858	11.4
Roundfield, Atl.	77	259	621	880	11.4
Robinson, Clev.	77	190	666	856	11.1
Ruland, Wash.	79	293	578	871	11.0
Bird, Bos.	79	193	677	870	11.0
Cummings, S.D.	70	303	441	744	10.6

BLOCKED SHOTS

Minimum 70 games or 100 blocked shots

Player/Team	G	NO.	AVG.
Rollins, Atl.	80	343	4.29
Walton, S.D.	33	119	3.61
Eaton, Utah	81	275	3.40
Nance, Phoe.	82	217	2.65
Gilmore, S.A.	82	192	2.34
McHale, Bos.	82	192	2.34
Lister, Mil.	80	177	2.21
Williams, Ind.	78	171	2.19
Abdul-Jabbar, L.A.	79	170	2.15
Malone, Phil.	78	157	2.01

ASSISTS

Minimum 70 games or 400 assists

Player/Team	G	NO.	AVG.
E. Johnson, L.A.	79	829	10.5
Moore, S.A.	77	753	9.8
Green, Utah.	78	697	8.9
Drew, K.C.	75	610	8.1
Johnson, Wash.	68	549	8.1
Williams, Sea.	80	643	8.0
Williams, K.C.	72	569	7.9
Thomas, Det.	81	634	7.8
Nixon, L.A.	79	566	7.2
Davis, Dall.	79	565	7.2

STEALS

Minimum 70 games or 125 steals

Player/Team	G	NO.	AVG.
Richardson, N.J.	64	182	2.84
Green, Utah.	78	220	2.82
Moore, S.A.	77	194	2.52
Thomas, Det.	81	199	2.46
Cook, N.J.	82	194	2.37
Cheeks, Phil.	79	184	2.33
Williams, Sea.	80	182	2.28
E. Johnson, L.A.	79	176	2.23
Leavell, Hou.	79	165	2.09
Lever, Port.	81	153	1.89

3-PT. FIELD GOALS

Minimum 25 made

Player/Team	3FG	3FGA	PCT.
Dunleavy, S.A.	67	194	.345
Thomas, Det.	36	125	.288
Griffith, Utah.	38	132	.288
Leavell, Hou.	42	175	.240

1982-83 KINGS RANKINGS IN THE LEAGUE

OFFENSE

Field Goal Percentage	TIE 3rd
Free Throw Percentage	17th
Rebounds	11th
Assists	9th
Personal Fouls	23rd
Steals	8th
Blocked Shots	15th
Turnovers	3rd
Disqualifications	12th
Scoring:	
Points	4th
Average	4th

KING INDIVIDUAL SCORING

of Games in Double Figures

Drew	73
E. Johnson	80
S. Johnson	45
King	7
Loder	7
Meriweather	26
Nealy	9
Steppe	12
Thompson	14
Williams	58
Woodson	77

of Games Scored 20 or More

Drew	33
E. Johnson	31
S. Johnson	12
Loder	1
Meriweather	1
Williams	13
Woodson	20

of Games Scored 30 or More

Drew	4
E. Johnson	9
Williams	3
Woodson	3

of Games Scored 40 or More

Woodson	1
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DEFENSE

Field Goal Percentage	11th
Free Throw Percentage	16th
Rebounds	TIE 8th
Assists	18th
Personal Fouls	5th
Steals	4th
Blocked Shots	TIE 13th
Turnovers	3rd
Disqualifications	6th
Scoring:	
Points	TIE 15th
Average	TIE 15th

KINGS vs OPPONENTS 1982-83

ATLANTIC (5-5)

Boston	1-1
New Jersey	1-1
New York	1-1
Philadelphia	0-2
Washington	2-0

MIDWEST (18-12)

Dallas	3-3
Denver	3-3
Houston	5-1
San Antonio	3-3
Utah	4-2

CENTRAL (9-3)

Atlanta	2-0
Chicago	2-0
Cleveland	1-1
Detroit	2-0
Indiana	1-1
Milwaukee	1-1

PACIFIC (13-17)

Golden State	4-1
Los Angeles	1-4
Phoenix	1-4
Portland	2-3
San Diego	4-1
Seattle	1-4

MONTH-BY-MONTH

October	(1-0)
November	(7-5)

December	(9-5)
January	(6-12)
February	(5-6)

March	(9-7)
April	(8-2)

Who is the only player ever to play for an NCAA, an NBA and an ABA champion? The only player ever to be a member of NCAA, NBA and ABA titlists was Tom Thacker. Thacker's University of Cincinnati team won the NCAAs in 1961, and he was part of the Celtics Championship crew in 1968. Two years later, Thacker was on the ABA champion Indiana Pacers.

SEASON HIGHS

KINGS INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Most Points	: 48, Woodson, 2/20 vs. Houston
Most Field Goals Made	: 22-24, Woodson, 2/20 vs. Houston
Most Field Goals Attempted	: 30, E. Johnson, 12/22 vs. Denver
Most Free Throws Made	: 15-18, Drew, 12/15 vs. New Jersey
Most Free Throws Attempted	: 15-18, Drew, 12/15 vs. New Jersey
Most Rebounds	: 15, E. Johnson, 11/2 vs. Milwaukee; Thompson, 1/2 @ Atlanta; S. Johnson, 2/8 @ Houston
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 9, Thompson, 1/2 @ Atlanta
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 11, Nealy, 3/3 @ Detroit
Most Assists	: 15, Drew, 12/1 vs. Chicago & 2/8 @ Houston; Williams, 3/22 vs. Cleveland
Most Steals	: 6, Woodson, 12/15 vs. New Jersey; Drew, 1/5 vs. Denver; Williams, 1/29 @ Indiana & 4/1 @ San Diego
Most Blocked Shots	: 4, Meriweather, 11/5 vs. Dallas; Woodson, 12/8 vs. San Antonio & 4/1 @ San Diego; Reggie Johnson, 1/25 @ Denver; Thompson, 2/26 @ Dallas
Most Three Pointers	: 2-2, E. Johnson, 11/2 vs. Milwaukee

KINGS TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS

Most Points	: 146, 12/22 vs. Denver
Fewest Points	: 88, 11/25 @ Houston
Most Field Goals Made	: 61, 1/7 vs. Utah
Most Field Goals Attempted	: 120, 1/4 @ Denver
Most Free Throws Made	: 37, 12/28 vs. Boston
Most Free Throws Attempted	: 49, 12/28 vs. Boston
Best Field Goal Percentage	: .639, 2/18 vs. Los Angeles
Best Free Throw Percentage	: .960, 12/18 @ Golden State
Least Field Goals Made	: 36, 3/18 @ Los Angeles
Least Field Goals Attempted	: 76, 12/10 vs. San Diego; 1/19 vs. New York; 1/28 vs. Philadelphia
Least Free Throws Made	: 8, 11/25 @ Houston; 12/17 @ Seattle
Least Free Throws Attempted	: 13, 12/17 @ Seattle
Most Rebounds	: 75, 1/4 @ Denver
Fewest Rebounds	: 29, 11/16 @ San Antonio
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 37, 1/4 @ Denver
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 46, 12/22 vs. Denver
Least Offensive Rebounds	: 4, 1/19 vs. New York
Least Defensive Rebounds	: 16, 11/16 @ San Antonio
Most Assists	: 41, 2/18 vs. Los Angeles
Most Personal Fouls	: 42, 12/1 vs. Chicago
Most Steals	: 14, 11/5 vs. Dallas; 12/22 & 1/5 vs. Denver
Most Turnovers	: 34, 1/7 vs. Utah
Most Blocked Shots	: 13, 1/25 @ Denver
Most Players Disqualified	: 2, seven occasions
Most Points in a Half	: 75, 12/1 vs. Chicago; 12/22 vs. Denver; 3/6 vs. San Diego
Most Points in a Quarter	: 44, 12/22 vs. Denver; 1/7 vs. Utah; 2/4 vs. Los Angeles
Fewest Points in a Half	: 35, 3/15 @ Portland (1st half)
Fewest Points in a Quarter	: 16, 3/11 @ Milwaukee (4th); 3/15 @ Portland (1st)
Largest Victory Margin	: 44, 12/22 vs. Denver (146-102)
Largest Defeat Margin	: 22, 11/9 @ Los Angeles (139-117)
Longest Winning Streak	: 6, 11/13-11/28; 4/8-4/15
Longest Losing Streak	: 6, 1/23-1/31

OPPONENTS HIGHS AND LOWS

Most Points	: 143, 2/4 vs. Los Angeles
Fewest Points	: 79, 11/25 & Houston
Most Field Goals Made	: 59, 11/9 @ Los Angeles
Most Field Goals Attempted	: 110, 11/9 @ Los Angeles
Most Free Throws Made	: 45, 1/4 @ Denver
Most Free Throws Attempted	: 60, 1/4 @ Denver
Best Field Goal Percentage	: .593, 2/2 @ Washington
Best Free Throw Percentage	: .885, 4/6 vs. Denver
Least Field Goals Made	: 31, 11/19 vs. New York; 3/27 vs. Portland
Least Field Goals Attempted	: 74, 11/5 vs. Dallas; 2/9 vs. Golden State; 3/27 vs. Portland
Least Free Throws Made	: 8, 1/21 vs. Houston
Least Free Throws Attempted	: 14, 121 vs. Houston
Most Rebounds	: 58, 12/8 vs. San Antonio
Fewest Rebounds	: 27, 2/20 vs. Houston
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 26, 4/1 @ San Diego
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 40, 1/2 @ Atlanta
Least Offensive Rebounds	: 3, 2/2 @ Washington
Least Defensive Rebounds	: 16, 3/6 vs. San Diego
Most Assists	: 40, 11/9 @ Los Angeles
Most Personal Fouls	: 38, 11/20 @ Dallas
Most Steals	: 23, 11/9 @ Los Angeles
Most Turnovers	: 37, 2/9 vs. Golden State
Most Blocked Shots	: 14, 1/8 @ Philadelphia
Most Players Disqualified	: 3, 12/5 vs. Seattle; 12/15 vs. New Jersey
Most Points in a Half	: 78, 11/9 @ Los Angeles (2nd)
Most Points in a Quarter	: 42, 11/9 @ Los Angeles (4th)
Fewest Points in a Half	: 38, 11/25 @ Houston (2nd); 12/17 @ Seattle (1st)
Fewest Points in a Quarter	: 10, 12/18 @ Golden State (3rd)
Largest Victory Margin	: 22, 11/9 @ Los Angeles (139-117)
Largest Defeat Margin	: 44, 12/22 vs. Denver (146-102)

Who holds the league mark for most assists in a career?

The NBA record for career assists is held by Oscar Robertson, who dished out 9,887 helpers during his stint in the NBA.

On March 6, 1982, the Milwaukee Bucks and the San Antonio Spurs played the highest-scoring game ever, won by the Spurs 171-166. Who was the high scorer in this contest? In this wild 171-166 affair, George Gervin led all scorers with 50 points.

Who holds the record for most road victories in a season? The Boston Celtics hold the league record for most road wins in a season. The Celts won 32 times away from home in 1972-73 and repeated the trick in 1974-75.

KANSAS CITY KINGS 1982-83 REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS — FINAL (45-37 .549)

PLAYER	Playing Time		Field Goals		Free Throws		Rebounds		Miscellaneous		Scoring								
	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	F6M-F6A	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	OFF-DEF	TOT	AST	AVG	PF-D	ST	T0	BS	TP	AVG	HI	
DREW	75-74	2690	35.9	599-1218	.492	310-378	.820	44-163	207	2.8	610	8.1	207-1	126	272	10	1510	20.1	33
E. JOHNSON	82-82	2933	35.8	677-1370	.494	247-317	.779	191-310	501	6.1	216	2.6	259-3	70	181	20	1621	19.8	39
WOODSON	81-3	2426	30.8	584-1154	.506	298-377	.790	84-164	248	3.1	254	3.1	203-0	137	174	59	1473	18.2	48
WILLIAMS	72-68	2170	30.1	419-1068	.392	256-333	.769	93-234	327	4.5	569	7.9	248-3	120	335	26	1109	15.4	36
S. JOHNSON	79-21	1544	19.5	371-595	.624	186-324	.574	140-258	398	5.0	95	1.2	323-9	40	180	83	928	11.7	27
MERIWEATHER	78-74	1706	21.9	258-453	.570	102-163	.626	150-274	424	5.4	64	.8	285-4	47	118	86	618	7.9	21
THOMPSON	71-3	987	13.9	147-287	.512	89-137	.650	133-242	375	5.3	33	.5	186-1	40	96	61	383	5.4	16
LODER	66-13	818	12.4	138-300	.460	53-80	.663	37-88	125	1.9	72	1.1	98-0	29	64	8	334	5.1	25
KING	58-5	995	17.2	104-225	.462	73-96	.760	91-149	240	4.1	58	1.0	94-1	28	65	11	281	4.8	17
NEALY	82-61	1643	20.0	147-247	.595	70-114	.614	170-315	485	5.9	62	.8	247-4	68	51	12	364	4.4	16
STEPPE	62-6	606	9.8	84-176	.477	76-100	.760	25-48	73	1.2	68	1.1	92-0	26	55	3	245	4.0	16
DENNARD	22-0	224	10.2	11-34	.324	6-9	.667	20-32	52	2.4	6	.3	27-0	16	5	1	28	1.3	6
KINGS	82	19780		3719-7485	.497	1839-2530	.727	1256-2407	3663	44.7	2155	26.3	2432-28	765	1691	409	9328	113.8	146
OPPONENTS	82	19780		3531-7250	.487	2107-2885	.730	1250-2403	3653	44.5	1997	24.4	2245-37	809	1716	439	9209	112.3	143

Three Point Field Goals: Kansas City 51-215 (.237) — Drew 2-16 (.125); E. Johnson 20-71 (.282); Woodson 7-33 (.212); Williams 15-74 (.203); S. Johnson 0-0 (—); Meriwether 0-0 (—); Thompson 0-1 (.000); Loder 5-9 (.556); King 0-0 (—); Neely 0-0 (—); Steppe 1-7 (.143); Dennard 0-0 (—); Opponents 40-188 (.213).

DIVISIONAL BREAKDOWNS BY HOME-ROAD										RECORD: 45-37					HOME: 30-11					ROAD: 15-26					OVERTIME: 0-4				
ATLANTIC	HOME	ROAD	KC vs	CENTRAL	HOME	ROAD	KC vs	MIDWEST	HOME	ROAD	KC vs	PACIFIC	HOME	ROAD	KC vs	Total	HOME	ROAD	KC vs	Total	HOME	ROAD	KC vs						
Philadelphia	35-6	30-11	0-2	Milwaukee	31-10	20-21	1-1	San Antonio	31-10	22-19	3-3	Los Angeles	33-8	25-16	1-4														
Boston	33-8	23-18	1-1	Atlanta	26-15	17-24	2-0	Denver	29-12	16-25	3-3	Phoenix	32-9	21-20	1-4														
New Jersey	30-11	19-22	1-1	Detroit	23-18	14-27	2-0	Kansas City	30-11	15-26	—	Seattle	29-12	19-22	1-4														
New York	26-15	18-23	1-1	Chicago	18-23	10-31	2-0	Dallas	23-18	15-26	3-3	Portland	31-10	15-26	2-3														
Washington	27-14	15-26	2-0	Cleveland	15-26	8-33	1-1	Utah	21-20	9-32	4-2	Golden State	21-20	9-32	4-1														
				Indiana	14-27	6-35	1-1	Houston	9-32	5-36	5-1	San Diego	18-23	7-34	4-1														
Total	151-54	105-100	5-5	Total	137-119	75-146	9-3	Total	143-103	82-164	18-12	Total	164-82	96-150	13-17														
	.737	.512			.535	.339			.561	.333			.621	.390															

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SUMMER LEAGUE STATISTICS

For the first time in the franchise history the Kings entered a team in the Southern California Summer Pro League. Coached by Frank Hamblen and Gary Fitzsimmons, the Kings took six veterans and five rookies to Los Angeles. Kansas City ended their regular season 10 game schedule with an 8-2 mark, and advanced into the single elimination playoffs where they were defeated by Detroit in the championship game, 99-95.

Below are the regular season and playoff statistics for the Kings as well as the final standings.

PLAYER	GP	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	ST	BS	TP	AVG
Andrews	10	263	41-87	.506	19-29	.655	25	75	12	2	99	9.9
Dennard	10	204	22-38	.579	10-14	.714	49	.24	11	3	55	5.5
Harriel	10	255	58-130	.446	20-28	.714	35	26	15	4	136	13.6
King	10	301	28-67	.418	18-26	.692	44	16	5	4	74	7.4
Loder	9	217	51-93	.548	21-31	.677	40	30	13	0	124	13.8
Micheaux	10	154	28-52	.538	14-25	.560	48	6	12	7	71	7.1
Nealy	9	186	29-49	.592	11-20	.550	47	12	7	5	69	7.7
Neumayr	10	179	21-43	.488	12-28	.464	16	19	5	1	65	6.5
Steppe	6	154	42-66	.636	35-40	.875	14	35	3	0	119	19.8
Suttle	10	288	74-143	.556	36-40	.900	26	63	17	1	184	18.4
Thompson	10	371	55-94	.585	34-51	.667	120	28	20	42	144	14.4
Kings			449-832	.540	241-332	.726	664	333	117	64	1142	114.2
Opponents			401-844	.475	222-323	.687	409	297	112	22	1051	105.1

PLAYOFF STATISTICS

PLAYER	G	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT	FTM-FTA	PCT	REB	AST	PO	ST	BS	TP	AVG
Andrews	3	87	9-28	.321	4-7	.571	5	26	12	3	1	22	7.3
Dennard	3	24	2-12	.167	1-1	1.000	9	0	12	3	3	5	1.7
Harriel	3	57	6-21	.286	3-4	.750	7	7	7	1	2	15	5.0
King	3	61	6-18	.333	5-5	1.000	14	3	6	0	0	17	5.7
Loder	3	102	28-43	.651	13-19	.684	16	13	12	9	1	69	23.0
Micheaux	3	20	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	8	2	1	0	2	4	1.3
Nealy	3	71	15-29	.517	7-8	.875	26	3	6	4	0	37	12.3
Neumayr	3	71	7-25	.280	0-4	.000	5	2	3	3	2	15	5.0
Suttle	3	109	23-42	.548	24-24	1.000	10	21	9	4	0	70	23.3
Thompson	3	108	30-47	.638	11-13	.846	50	5	13	0	20	71	23.7
Kings			129-272	.474	71-87	.816	175	82	74	27	32	329	109.7
Opponents			127-293	.433	62-88	.705	132	85	65	49	14	312	104.0

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FINAL STANDINGS

	W	L	PCT	GB
Portland	8	1	.889	—
KANSAS CITY	8	2	.800	½
Atlanta	7	4	.636	2
Dallas	6	4	.600	2½
Detroit	6	4	.600	2½
Golden St.	6	4	.600	2½
San Deigo	6	4	.600	2½
Indiana	5	5	.500	3½
Cleveland	4	6	.400	4½
Denver	3	7	.300	5½
Phoenix	2	7	.222	6
Los Angeles	2	8	.200	6½

PLAYOFF RESULTS

Quarterfinals — Friday, August 12

KANSAS CITY 132, Baratta Sports* 118, OT

Atlanta 105, Golden St. 98

Portland 121, Johnson & Johnson* 111

Detroit 105, San Diego 94-OT

Semifinals — Saturday, August 13

KANSAS CITY 102, Atlanta 95

Detroit 116, Portland 108

Finals — Sunday, August 14

Detroit 99, KANSAS CITY 95

*Free-agent teams

KINGS RECORDS

FIVE BIGGEST WINS (KC Era)

44, 146-102	DENVER, 12/22/83
39, 144-105	SAN DIEGO, 3/6/83
124- 85	PORTLAND, 12/12/79
38, 120- 82	INDIANA, 3/3/82
37, 122- 85	PHOENIX, 10/21/79

FIVE BIGGEST LOSSES

44, 100-144	at Detroit, 2/18/73
37, 85-122	NEW YORK (at Omaha), 11/1/72
81-118	at Washington, 11/14/74
35, 94-129	LOS ANGELES (at Omaha), 10/11/72
33, 91-124	at Cleveland, 12/5/74

Five highest scoring games:

- 1 = 146-102 DENVER 12-22-82
- 2 = 145-129 @ New York 12-8-79
- 3 = 144-105 SAN DIEGO 3-6-83
- 4 = 143-132 CHICAGO 12-1-82
- 5 = 142-128 WASHINGTON 1-26-79

Five lowest scoring games:

- 1 = 72-94 MILWAUKEE 2-24-80
- 2 = 73-96 @ Chicago 12-20-74
- 3 = 78-112 MILWAUKEE 10-30-73
- 4 = 79-105 @ Detroit 1-20-74
- = 79-86 Chicago 11-3-74

Longest overall winning streaks

- + (15) 2-17-60 to 3-19-60
- (8) 12-2-79 to 12-19-79
- (6, twice) 11-13-82 to 11-27-82
- 4-8-83 to 4-15-83

Longest overall losing streaks

- ++ (14, twice) 1-16-60 to 2-10-60
- 12-12-71 to 1-9-72
- (11, twice) 11-16-73 to 12-1-73
- 12-13-75 to 1-3-76

Longest home win streak

- (15) 1-4-79 to 2-25-79
- (12) 1-21-75 to 3-6-75

Longest home losing streak

- (5, thrice) 10-28-73 to 11-9-73
- 11-17-73 to 11-27-73
- 3-25-78 to 10-21-78

Longest road win streak

- (4, twice) 11-13-82 to 11-25-82
- 3-26-83 to 4-2-83

Longest road losing streak

- (17) 12-23-81 to 3-9-82
- (14) 11-12-77 to 1-17-78

+ Rochester

++Cincinnati

A BRIEF FRANCHISE HISTORY

The Kansas City Kings are directly descended from one of the charter teams in the National Basketball Association: *Rochester Royals* 1949-57 (nine years); *Cincinnati Royals* 1958-72 (15 years); *Kansas City Kings* 1973-83 (11 years).

This is the 36th year of consecutive franchise operation, the 12th in Kansas City.

The team moved from Cincinnati to Kansas City in April, 1972. The majority owners were the Jacobs Brothers, a prominent Buffalo, N.Y., concessions family.

Because of a severe shortage of acceptable playing dates in the Municipal Auditorium, it was necessary to play a portion of the home schedule in Omaha. Even though the Kings moved into the Kemper Memorial Arena during the 1975-76 season, this continued through the 1977-78 season. The Kings did not begin playing all their home games in Kemper Arena until the 1980-81 season. The two previous seasons, 1978-79 and 1979-80, the Kings played a total of seven games in the St. Louis Checkerdome. The Kemper Arena roof collapsed on June 4, 1979, forcing the Kings to play 28 games in Municipal Auditorium during the 1979-80 season before the arena was reopened on February 20, 1980.

After the first year in Kansas City, H. Paul Rosenberg, a local lithographer, put together a group of nine other Kansas Citians and purchased the club for an amount in excess of \$5 million. The other owners included Frank Armanees, Clay Blair, Ray Evans, Herb Jacobson, Leon Karosen, Robert Margolin, Tom Muir, Truman Sloan and Leonard Strauss.

Former Royals President and General Manager Joe Axelson came with the club from Cincinnati and was retained in the management of the team until he left in the 1979 off-season to take a job with the NBA office as Vice-president of Operations. Former San Antonio Spurs General Manager John Begzos was then hired to replace Axelson and remained in that capacity until October 1980. Rosenberg took over as interim general manager. Jeff Cohen was named to the position in late January 1981 and took over the helm in March, after 16 years with the Boston Celtics. Axelson returned to the Kings in July 1982, following the resignation of Cohen, signing a five-year pact as President and General Manager.

The Kings, behind head coach Cotton Fitzsimmons, advanced to the playoffs for the third consecutive year in 1980-81 with a 40-42 record. The Kings defeated the Portland Trail Blazers 2-1 in the mini-series, then defeated the Phoenix Suns 4-3 in the Western Conference semi-finals. The Suns had defeated the Kings in both previous playoff appearances. The next stop for the Cinderella champions was the Western Conference championship series, where they were matched with the Houston Rockets. Houston, like the Kings, was the only other team in the playoffs with a regular season under .500 (40-42). The Rockets ended the Kings season four games to one.

In May of 1982, the Kings ownership was restructured to include three of the original 10 partners. Leon Karosen was named Chairman of the Board, Paul Rosenberg, Vice-President of the Board and NBA Governor, and Bob Margolin, Vice-President and Secretary.

On June 8, 1983, the Kings were sold to a group of six Sacramento businessmen including Joseph Benvenuti, Frank and Gregg Lukenbill, Robert A. Cook, Frank McCormack and Stephen H. Cippa. The cost was \$10.5 million.

Ironically when the Rochester Royals won the World Championship in 1951, it was the Western Division runner-up behind the Minneapolis Lakers. Best seasons for the three locations of the franchise are as follows:

<i>Rochester Royals</i>	1949	Western Division Champions	45-15
	1951	Western Division Runner-up	
		Playoff Champion	41-27
	1952	Western Division Champions	41-25
<i>Kansas City Kings</i>	1964	Eastern Division Runner-up	55-25
	1979	Midwest Division Champions	48-34
	1981	Western Conf. Runner-up	40-42

KINGS WON-LOST RECORD 1948-83

YEAR	COACH	Regular Season		Playoffs	
		WON-LOST	PCT	WON-LOST	PCT
1948-49	Les Harrison	45-15	.750	2-2	.500
1949-50	Les Harrison	51-17	.750	0-1	.000
1950-51	Les Harrison	41-27	.603	9-5	.643
1951-52	Les Harrison	41-25	.621	3-3	.500
1952-53	Les Harrison	44-26	.629	1-2	.333
1953-54	Les Harrison	44-28	.611	3-3	.500
1954-55	Les Harrison	29-43	.403	1-2	.333
1955-56	Bob Wanzer	31-41	.431	—	—
1956-57	Bob Wanzer	31-41	.431	—	—
1957-58*	Bob Wanzer	33-39	.458	0-2	.000
1958-59	Bob Wanzer	3-15	.167	—	—
	Tom Marshall	16-38	.296	—	—
1959-60	Tom Marshall	19-56	.253	—	—
1960-61	Charles Wolf	33-46	.418	—	—
1961-62	Charles Wolf	43-37	.538	1-3	.250
1962-63	Charles Wolf	42-38	.525	6-6	.500
1963-64	Jack McMahon	55-25	.687	4-6	.400
1964-65	Jack McMahon	48-32	.600	1-3	.250
1965-66	Jack McMahon	45-35	.563	2-3	.400
1966-67	Jack McMahon	39-42	.482	1-3	.250
1967-68	Ed Jucker	39-43	.476	—	—
1968-69	Ed Jucker	41-41	.500	—	—
1969-70	Bob Cousy	36-46	.439	—	—
1970-71	Bob Cousy	33-49	.402	—	—
1971-72	Bob Cousy	30-52	.366	—	—
1972-73**	Bob Cousy	36-46	.439	—	—
1973-74	Bob Cousy	6-16	.272	—	—
	Draff Young	0-3	.000	—	—
	Phil Johnson	27-30	.473	—	—
1974-75	Phil Johnson	44-38	.537	2-4	.333
1975-76***	Phil Johnson	31-51	.387	—	—
1976-77	Phil Johnson	40-42	.488	—	—
1977-78	Phil Johnson	13-24	.351	—	—
	Larry Staveran	18-27	.400	—	—
1978-79	Lowell Fitzsimmons	48-34	.585	1-4	.200
1979-80	Lowell Fitzsimmons	47-35	.573	1-2	.333
1981-80	Lowell Fitzsimmons	40-42	.488	7-8	.467
1981-82	Lowell Fitzsimmons	30-52	.366	—	—
1982-83	Lowell Fitzsimmons	45-37	.549	—	—
	TOTAL	1337-1374	.493	45-62	.421

*Team moved from Rochester to Cincinnati

**Team moved to Kansas City-Omaha

***Team moved to Kansas City, MO

KINGS HONORS

ALL-STARs

(Selected by Writers and Broadcasters)

1948-49

- 1st Bob Davies (Rochester)
- 2nd Arnie Risen (Rochester)

1949-50

- 1st Bob Davies (Rochester)

1950-51

- 1st Bob Davies (Rochester)

1951-52

- 1st Bob Davies (Rochester)
- 2nd Bob Wanzer (Rochester)

1952-53

- 2nd Bob Davies (Rochester)
- 2nd Bob Wanzer (Rochester)

1953-54

- 2nd Bob Wanzer (Rochester)

1955-56

- 2nd Maurice Stokes (Rochester)

1956-57

- 2nd Maurice Stokes (Rochester)

1957-58

- 2nd Maurice Stokes (Cincinnati)

1959-60

- 2nd Jack Twyman (Cincinnati)

1960-61

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

1961-62

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 2nd Jack Twyman (Cincinnati)

1962-63

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

1963-64

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 2nd Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

EXECUTIVE OF THE YEAR

(Selected by THE SPORTING NEWS)

1972-73

- Joe Axelson (KC-Omaha)

COACH OF THE YEAR

(Selected by Writers and Broadcasters)

1974-75

- Phil Johnson (KC-Omaha)

1978-79

- Cotton Fitzsimmons (Kansas City)

1964-65

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 1st Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

1965-66

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 1st Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

1966-67

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 2nd Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

1967-68

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)
- 1st Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

1968-69

- 1st Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

1969-70

- 2nd Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

1971-72

- 2nd Nate Archibald (Cincinnati)

1972-73

- 1st Nate Archibald (KC-Omaha)

1974-75

- 1st Nate Archibald (KC-Omaha)

1975-76

- 1st Nate Archibald (Kansas City)

1978-79

- 2nd Phil Ford (Kansas City)

1979-80

- 3rd Phil Ford (Kansas City)

1980-81

- 2nd Otis Birdsong (Kansas City)

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

(Podoloff Trophy by vote of NBA Players)

1963-64

- Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

(Selected by Writers and Broadcasters)

1955-56

- Maurice Stokes (Rochester)

1960-61

- Oscar Robertson (Cincinnati)

1963-64

- Jerry Lucas (Cincinnati)

1978-79

- Phil Ford (Kansas City)

TEAM RECORDS

SINGLE GAME RECORDS

Most Points	: 59, Jack Twyman vs Minneapolis, 1/15/60 (@ Cincinnati)
Most Field Goal Attempts	: 47, Jack Twyman vs St. Louis, 2/28/59 (@ Cincinnati);
Most Field Goals Made	: 22, Jack Twyman vs St. Louis, 2/28/59 (@ Cincinnati); Nate Archibald vs Houston, 2/13/73; Mike Woodson vs Houston, 2/20/83
Most Free Throw Attempts	: 26, Oscar Robertson vs Baltimore, 12/27/64 (@ Baltimore)
Most Free Throws Made	: 23 of 25, Nate Archibald vs Portland, 1/21/75 (@ K.C.)
Best Field Goal Percentage	: 22 of 24, Mike Woodson vs Hous, 2/20/83; 13 of 14, Steve Johnson 3/24/83 (@ Phoenix)
Best Free Throw Percentage	: 1,000 by Oscar Robertson, 18 of 18, vs St. Louis, 1/30/62 (@ St. Louis)
Most Assists	: 22, Phil Ford vs Milwaukee, 2/21/79 (@ K.C.); Oscar Robertson vs Syracuse, 10/29/61, vs N.Y. 3/5/66
Most Rebounds	: 40, Jerry Lucas vs Philadelphia, 2/29/64 (@ Philadelphia)
Most Steals	: 8, Sam Lacey vs Golden State, 2/12/75
Most Blocked Shots	: 7, Sam Lacey vs Detroit, 10/22/78

SEASON RECORDS

Minutes Played	: 3681, Nate Archibald, 1972-73 (led league)
Field Goal Attempts	: 2106, Nate Archibald, 1972-73
Field Goals Made	: 1028, Nate Archibald, 1972-73
Field Goal Percentage	: 613, Steve Johnson, 1981-82 (2nd in league)
Free Throw Attempts	: 938, Oscar Robertson, 1963-64
Free Throws Made	: 800, Oscar Robertson, 1963-64
Free Throw Percentage	: 903, Adrian Smith, 1966-67 (led league)
Rebounds	: 1668, Jerry Lucas, 1965-66
Assists	: 910, Nate Archibald, 1972-73
Assist Average	: 11.5, Oscar Robertson, 1964-65
Personal Fouls	: 372, Steve Johnson, 1981-82 (league record)
Most Times Disqualified	: 25, Steve Johnson, 1981-82 (led league)
Total Points	: 2719, Nate Archibald, 1972-73
Scoring Average	: 34.0, Nate Archibald, 1972-73
Most Steals	: 199, Brian Taylor, 1976-77
Most Blocked Shots	: 184, Sam Lacey, 1973-74

CONSECUTIVE RECORDS

Most Field Goals	: 14, Billy McKinney vs Boston, 12/27/78 (@ St. Louis); Otis Birdsong @ San Antonio 3/4/81; Steve Johnson vs Cleve 3/22/83 and 3/24/83 (@ Phoenix)
Most Field Goals in Playoffs	: 18, Larry McNeill vs Chicago over 2 games, 4/9/75 through 4/13/75 (NBA record)
Most Free Throws	: 41, Oscar Robertson, five games 12/21/64
Most Free Throws in a Single Game	: 18, Oscar Robertson, 1/30/62 (@ St. Louis)
Games Played	: 609, Jack Twyman, same team (Cincinnati Royals)

TEAM SCORING MARKS

Most Single Points One Game	: 165, vs San Diego, 3/2/70 (@ Cincinnati)
Most Opponents Points	: 151, three times — Baltimore, St. Louis & Boston
Least Points	: 69, vs Detroit, 1/10/59 (@ Cincinnati)
Least Opponents Points	: 68, vs Phoenix, 3/8/81 (Kings 105)

KEMPER ARENA PROFESSIONAL SINGLE GAME BASKETBALL RECORDS

Most Points Single Game	: Player—Mike Woodson (KC), 48 points, 2/20/83 Team—Kings 146 vs. Denver, 12/22/82 Two Teams—Kings 143 vs. Chicago 132, (275), 12/1/82
Most Points One Quarter	: Player—Lou Hudson (Atl.); 24 points, 12/9/76 Team—Kings 45 vs. Washington, 1/8/81
Most Points In A Half	: Team—Kings 81 vs. NY, 12/8/79 (first-half)
Most Field Goals Made	: Player—Mike Woodson (KC), 22-24 vs. Hou., 2/20/83 Team—Kings 62-102 vs. Washington, 1/26/79
Most Consecutive Field Goals Made	: Player—Lou Hudson (Atl.); 11 straight and 12-13, 12/9/76
Most Field Goal Attempts	: Player—Bob Love (Chi.); 13-35, 3/21/76 Team—Kings 48-114 vs. Boston, 2/17/77
Most Free Throws Made	: Player—Nate Archibald (KC), 23-25 vs. Port., 1/21/75 Team—Denver, 44-59, 1/12/82
Most Free Throw Attempts	: Player—Nate Archibald (KC) 23-25 vs. Port., 1/21/75 Team—Denver, 44-59, 1/12/82
Most Individual Rebounds	: Elvin Hayes (Wash.); 26 RBS, 3/14/76 Moses Malone (Hous.); 26 RBS, 12/26/78
Most Individual Assists	: Phil Ford (KC); 22 vs. Milw. 2/21/79
Most Individual Steals	: Sam Lacey (KC); 8 vs. Houston, 1/5/75 John Roche (Den.); 8, 11/27/81
Most Individual Blocked Shots	: Sam Lacey (KC); 7 vs. New Jersey, 4/6/79 Tree Rollins (Atl.); 7, 2/23/82

When Moses Malone came to the NBA, who selected him in the ABA dispersal draft? When Moses Malone came to the NBA in 1976, he was picked by the Portland Trail Blazers on the first round of the ABA dispersal draft. However, Malone never played a second for the Blazers and was dealt to Buffalo.

Name the two players who won the MVP award three straight years. The two players to win the MVP three seasons in a row are Bill Russell (1960-61 through '62-63) and Wilt Chamberlain (1965-66 to 1967-68).

Who is the only player ever to lead the NBA in scoring and assists in the same season? In the 1972-73 season, Tiny Archibald, then playing for the Kansas City-Omaha Kings, was tops in the NBA with 33.9 points and 11.4 assists per contest.

KINGS TEAM RECORDS/LEADERS

OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

SEASON	PLAYER	G	TOT.	AVG.
1972-73	Sam Lacey	79	213	
1973-74	Sam Lacey	79	293	3.7
1974-75	Sam Lacey	81	228	2.8
1975-76	Sam Lacey	81	218	2.7
1976-77	Sam Lacey	82	189	2.3
1977-78	Rich Washington	78	188	2.4
1978-79	Bill Robinzine	82	218	2.7
1979-80	Reggie King	82	184	2.2
	Bill Robinzine	81	184	2.3
1980-81	Reggie King	81	235	2.9
1981-82	Reggie King	80	162	2.1
1982-83	Eddie Johnson	82	191	2.3

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

SEASON	PLAYER	G	TOT.	AVG.
1972-73	Sam Lacey	79	720	
1973-74	Sam Lacey	79	762	9.6
1974-75	Sam Lacey	81	921	11.4
1975-76	Sam Lacey	81	806	10.0
1976-77	Sam Lacey	82	545	6.6
1977-78	Sam Lacey	77	487	6.3
1978-79	Sam Lacey	82	523	6.4
1979-80	Sam Lacey	81	473	5.8
1980-81	Reggie King	81	551	6.8
1981-82	Reggie King	80	361	4.5
1982-83	Eddie Nealy	82	315	3.8

STEALS

SEASON	PLAYER	G	TOT.	AVG.
1972-73	Sam Lacey	79	134	1.7
1973-74	Nate Williams	82	149	1.8
1974-75	Sam Lacey	81	139	1.7
1975-76	Sam Lacey	81	132	1.6
1976-77	Brian Taylor	72	199	2.8
1977-78	Sam Lacey	77	120	1.6
1978-79	Phil Ford	79	174	2.2
1979-80	Phil Ford	82	136	1.7
	Otis Birdsong	82	136	1.7
1980-81	Reggie King	81	102	1.3
1981-82	Mike Woodson	83	142	1.7
1982-83	Mike Woodson	81	137	1.7

BLOCKED SHOTS

SEASON	PLAYER	G	TOT.	AVG.
1972-73	Sam Lacey	79	127	1.6
1973-74	Sam Lacey	79	184	2.3
1974-75	Sam Lacey	81	168	2.1
1975-76	Sam Lacey	81	134	1.7
1976-77	Sam Lacey	82	133	1.6
1977-78	Sam Lacey	77	108	1.4
1978-79	Sam Lacey	82	141	1.7
1979-80	Sam Lacey	81	109	1.3
1980-81	Sam Lacey	82	120	1.5
1981-82	Steve Johnson	78	89	1.2
1982-83	Joe C. Meriweather	74	86	1.2

KINGS TEAM RECORDS/LEADERS

FIELD GOAL PERCENT LEADERS — TOP FIVE

(MINIMUM 500 FGA)

SEASON	PLAYER	FGA	FGM	PCT.
1982-83	Steve Johnson	595	371	.623
1981-82	Steve Johnson	644	395	.613
1970-71	Johnny Green	855	502	.587
1972-73	Matt Goukas	565	322	.570
1971-72	Johnny Green	582	331	.569

FREE THROW PERCENT LEADERS — TOP FIVE

(MINIMUM 250 FTA)

SEASON	PLAYER	FTA	FTM	PCT
1951-52	Bobby Wanzer	417	377	.904
1966-67	Adrian Smith	380	343	.903
1967-68	Oscar Robertson	660	576	.873
1977-78	Scott Wedman	254	221	.870
1975-76	Jimmy Walker	267	231	.865

REBOUND LEADERS — TOP FIVE

SEASON	PLAYER	G	REB	AVG.
1965-66	Jerry Lucas	79	1668	21.1
tie { 1964-65	Jerry Lucas	66	1321	20.0
{ 1966-67	Jerry Lucas	81	1547	20.0
1967-68	Jerry Lucas	82	1560	19.0
1968-69	Jerry Lucas	78	1360	18.4
1956-57	Maurice Stokes	72	1256	17.4*

MINUTES PLAYED — TOP FIVE

SEASON	PLAYER	G	MIN	AVG.
1972-73	Nate Archibald	80	3681	46.0
1964-65	Oscar Robertson	75	3421	45.6
1963-64	Oscar Robertson	79	3562	45.1
1965-66	Jerry Lucas	79	3517	44.5
1961-62	Oscar Robertson	79	3503	44.3

ASSIST LEADERS — TOP FIVE

SEASON	PLAYER	G	AST	AVG.
1964-65	Oscar Robertson	75	861	11.5*
tie { 1961-62	Oscar Robertson	79	899*	11.4*
{ 1972-73	Nate Archibald	80	910	11.4*
1965-66	Oscar Robertson	76	837	11.1*
1963-64	Oscar Robertson	79	868	10.9*
1966-67	Oscar Robertson	79	845	10.7

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SCORING LEADERS

SEASON	PLAYER	G	PTS	AVG.
1948-49	Arnie Risen	60	995	16.6
1949-50	Bob Davies	64	895	14.0
1950-51	Arnie Risen	66	1077	16.3
1951-52	Bob Davies	65	1052	16.2
1952-53	Bob Davies	66	1029	15.6
1953-54	Bobby Wanzer	72	958	13.3
1954-55	Bobby Wanzer	72	942	13.1
1955-56	Maurice Stokes	67	1125	16.8
1956-57	Jack Twyman	72	1174	16.3
1957-58	Clyde Lovellette	71	1659	23.4
1958-59	Jack Twyman	72	1857	24.8
1959-60	Jack Twyman	75	2338	31.2
1960-61	Oscar Robertson	71	2165	30.5
1961-62	Oscar Robertson	79	2432	30.8
1962-63	Oscar Robertson	80	2264	28.3
1963-64	Oscar Robertson	79	2480	31.4
1964-65	Oscar Robertson	75	2279	30.4
1965-66	Oscar Robertson	76	2378	31.3
1966-67	Oscar Robertson	79	2412	30.5
1967-68	Oscar Robertson	65	1896	29.2
1968-69	Oscar Robertson	79	1955	24.7
1969-70	Oscar Robertson	69	1748	25.3

(Scoring Leaders on next page)

SEASON	PLAYER	FTA	FTM	PCT
1970-71	Tom Van Arsdale	82	1875	22.9
1971-72	Nate Archibald	76	2145	28.2
1972-73	Nate Archibald	80	2719	34.0*
1973-74	Jimmy Walker	75	1437	19.2
1974-75	Nate Archibald	82	2170	26.5
1975-76	Nate Archibald	78	1935	24.8
1976-77	Ron Boone	82	1818	22.2
tie { 1977-78	Scott Wedman	81	1435	17.7
	Ron Boone	82	1448	17.7
1978-79	Otis Birdsong	82	1778	21.7
1979-80	Otis Birdsong	82	1858	22.7
1980-81	Otis Birdsong	71	1747	24.6
1981-82	Mike Woodson	83	1304	15.7
1982-83	Larry Drew	75	1510	20.1

*Led NBA

PERSONAL FOUL LEADERS — TOP SEVEN

SEASON	PLAYER	G	PF	AVG
1981-82	Steve Johnson	78	372*	4.8
1978-79	Bill Robinzine	82	367	4.5
1956-57	Dick Ricketts	72	307	4.3
tie { 1955-56	Dick Ricketts	68	287	4.2
tie { 1970-71	Norm VanLier	82	343	4.2
tie { 1977-78	Rich Washington	78	324	4.2
tie { 1963-64	Wayne Embry	80	325*	4.1*
tie { 1969-70	Norm VanLier	81	329	4.1
tie { 1982-83	Steve Johnson	79	323	4.1
tie { 1964-65	Wayne Embry	74	297	4.0
tie { 1952-53	Arnie Risen	68	274	4.0
tie { 1976-77	Rich Washington	82	324	4.0

*Led NBA

INDIVIDUAL TOP 10 SCORING PERFORMANCES (KC Era)

(tie) 1st 52,	Nate Archibald	1/9/73 NEW YORK (NY wins 116-115 OT)
52,	Nate Archibald	1/27/73 at Atlanta (Atl wins 129-126)
3rd 51,	Nate Archibald	11/18/72 HOUSTON (at Omaha) (KC wins 127-117)
(tie) 4th 49,	Otis Birdsong	1/29/80 at Denver (KC wins 121-111)
49,	Nate Archibald	2/13/73 HOUSTON (KC wins 132-118)
(tie) 6th 48,	Nate Archibald	1/16/73 Seattle (Seattle wins 125-122)
48,	Mike Woodson	2/20/83 HOUSTON (KC wins 128-106)
8th 47,	Nate Archibald	11/15/72 SEATTLE (KC wins 106-97)
(tie) 9th 45,	Scott Wedman	1/2/80 at Utah (KC wins 128-121)
45,	Nate Archibald	12/30/72 at Golden State (Golden State wins 113-107)

BRUCE RICE MOST POPULAR PLAYER AWARD

1978-79	Gus Gerard
1979-80	Scott Wedman
1980-81	Phil Ford
1981-82	Kevin Loder
1982-83	Larry Drew

KINGS CAREER LEADERS

(KC era only since 1972-73 and
includes only KC statistics)

GAMES PLAYED

1. Sam Lacey	726
2. Scott Wedman	546
3. Bill Robinzine	395
4. Otis Birdsong	308
5. Reggie King	301
6. Phil Ford	299
7. Nate Archibald	275
8. Ernie Grunfeld	240
9. Ollie Johnson	235
10. Jimmy Walker	229

MINUTES

1. Sam Lacey	24508
2. Scott Wedman	18972
3. Nate Archibald	11381
4. Otis Birdsong	10193
5. Phil Ford	9583
6. Bill Robinzine	8767
7. Jimmy Walker	8570
8. Reggie King	8399
9. Ron Boone	5674
10. Ollie Johnson	5203

POINTS

1. Scott Wedman	9002
2. Sam Lacey	7866
3. Nate Archibald	7441
4. Otis Birdsong	6539
5. Phil Ford	5714
6. Bill Robinzine	4215
7. Jimmy Walker	3939
8. Ron Boone	3266
9. Reggie King	3129
10. Mike Woodson	2694

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

1. Scott Wedman	7911
2. Sam Lacey	7191
3. Nate Archibald	5845
4. Otis Birdsong	5263
5. Phil Ford	3598
6. Bill Robinzine	3413
7. Jimmy Walker	3354
8. Ron Boone	2848
9. Reggie King	2343
10. Mike Woodson	2155

FIELD GOALS MADE

1. Scott Wedman	3865
2. Sam Lacey	3224
3. Nate Archibald	2726
4. Otis Birdsong	2702
5. Phil Ford	1665
6. Bill Robinzine	1662
7. Jimmy Walker	1594
8. Ron Boone	1310
9. Reggie King	1216
10. Mike Woodson	1092

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (Min 1450 Att)

1. Reggie King	519
2. Otis Birdsong	513
3. Mike Woodson	507
4. Ernie Grunfeld	501
5. Scott Wedman	487
6. Bill Robinzine	487
7. Don Kojis	478
8. Jimmy Walker	475
9. Larry McNeill	473
10. Nate Williams	468

FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

1. Nate Archibald	2367
2. Sam Lacey	1901
3. Otis Birdsong	1585
4. Scott Wedman	1566
5. Phil Ford	1344
6. Bill Robinzine	1205
7. Reggie King	986
8. Jimmy Walker	889
9. Ron Boone	761
10. Larry McNeill	654
TIE Steve Johnson	654

FREE THROWS MADE

1. Nate Archibald	1989
2. Sam Lacey	1417
3. Scott Wedman	1258
4. Otis Birdsong	1115
5. Phil Ford	1102
6. Bill Robinzine	890
7. Jimmy Walker	751
8. Reggie King	697
9. Ron Boone	646
10. Mike Woodson	496

FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (Min 450 Att)

1. Ron Boone	.848
2. Jimmy Walker	.845
3. Nate Archibald	.840
4. Phil Ford	.819
5. Larry Drew	.811
6. Scott Wedman	.803
7. Ernie Grunfeld	.789
8. Mike Woodson	.786
9. Larry McNeill	.757
10. Tom Burleson	.746

ASSISTS

1. Nate Archibald	3746
2. Sam Lacey	3263
3. Phil Ford	2322
4. Scott Wedman	1271
5. Larry Drew	1029
6. Otis Birdsong	890
7. Jimmy Walker	709
8. Ron Boone	649
9. Ernie Grunfeld	590
10. Ray Williams	569

REBOUNDS

1. Sam Lacey	7472
2. Scott Wedman	3270
3. Bill Robinzine	2532
4. Reggie King	2115
5. Richard Washington	1400
6. Larry McNeill	1153
7. Otis Birdsong	1118
8. Joe C. Meriweather	905
9. Steve Johnson	857
10. Tom Burleson	835

PERSONAL FOULS

1. Sam Lacey	2573
2. Scott Wedman	1781
3. Bill Robinzine	1532
4. Phil Ford	840
5. Otis Birdsong	832
6. Reggie King	772
7. Steve Johnson	695
8. Richard Washington	679
9. Jimmy Walker	578
10. Joe C. Meriweather	572

DISQUALIFICATIONS

1. Sam Lacey	60
2. Bill Robinzine	52
3. Steve Johnson	34
4. Richard Washington	25
5. Scott Wedman	24
6. Nate Williams	14
7. Darnell Hillman	11
TIE Reggie King	11
9. Joe C. Meriweather	10
10. Tom Burleson	9
Eddie Johnson	

KINGS LEADERS YEAR-BY-YEAR (KC ERA)

YEAR	GAMES	MINUTES	FGM	FGA	PCT.	FTM	FTA	PCT.	REB.	ASSIST	PER. FL.	DISQ.	PTS.	AVE.
72-73	Archibald N. Williams 80	Archibald 3681	Archibald 1028	Archibald 2106	J. Green .599	Archibald 663	Archibald 783	Archibald .847	Lacey 933	Archibald 910	Lacey 283	N. Williams 9	Archibald 2719	Archibald 34.0
73-74	N. Williams Block 82	Lacey 3107	Walker 582	Walker 1240	Kojis .478	Walker 273	Walker 333	Walker .820	Lacey 1055	Walker 307	Behagen 291	Behagen 9	Walker 1437	Walker 19.2
74-75	Archibald 82	Lacey 3378	Archibald 759	Archibald 1664	Walker .475	Archibald 652	Archibald 748	Archibald .872	Lacey 1149	Archibald 557	Behagen 301	Behagen 8	Archibald 2170	Archibald 26.5
75-76	Wedman McNeill 82	Archibald 3184	Archibald 717	Archibald 1583	O. Johnson .513	Archibald 501	Archibald 625	Walker .865	Lacey 1024	Archibald 615	Robinzine 290	Robinzine 19	Archibald 1935	Archibald 24.8
76-77	Boone, Lacey, Washington, Eakins 82	Boone 3021	Boone 747	Boone 1577	Taylor .504	Boone 324	Boone 384	O. Johnson .878	Lacey 734	Lacey 386	Washington 324	Washington 13	Boone 1818	Boone 22.2
77-78	Boone Robinzine 82	Wedman 2961	Wedman 607	Boone 1271	Wedman .509	Boone 322	Boone 377	Wedman .870	Washington 654	Allen 360	Washington 324	Washington 12	Boone 1448	Wedman Boone 17.7
78-79	Birdsong, Lacey, Nash, Robinzine 82	Birdsong 2837	Birdsong 741	Birdsong 1456	Robinzine .548	Ford 326	Birdsong 408	Ford .813	Lacey 702	Ford 681	Robinzine 367	Robinzine 16	Birdsong 1778	Birdsong 21.7
79-80	Birdsong, Ford, R. King 82	Birdsong 2885	Birdsong 781	R. King 1546	R. King .515	Ford 346	Ford 423	Ford .818	Lacey 645	Ford 610	Robinzine 311	Lacey 8	Birdsong 1858	Birdsong 22.7
80-81	Lacey 82	Wedman 2902	Birdsong 710	Wedman 1437	Birdsong R. King .544	Birdsong 317	Birdsong 455	Ford .831	R. King 786	Ford 580	Lacey 302	Meriweather 5	Birdsong 1747	Birdsong 24.6
81-82	Drew, Gruntfield 81	R. King 2609	Woodson 538	Woodson 1069	S. Johnson .613	Woodson 221	S. Johnson 330	Gruntfield .821	R. King 523	Ford 451	*S. Johnson 372	S. Johnson 25	Woodson 1304	Woodson 15.7
82-83	E. Johnson, Nealy 82	E. Johnson 2935	E. Johnson 677	E. Johnson 1370	S. Johnson .623	Drew 310	Drew 378	Drew .820	E. Johnson 501	Drew 605	S. Johnson 323	S. Johnson 9	E. Johnson 1621	Drew 20.1

*NBA single season record

KANSAS CITY KINGS ATTENDANCE

1972-73 — 1982-83

SEASON	ATTENDANCE	AVERAGE	GAMES PLAYED IN KANSAS CITY	GAMES PLAYED IN OMAHA	GAMES PLAYED IN ST. LOUIS
1. 72-73	261,860	6,387	26	15	—
2. 73-74	232,692	5,675	27	14	—
3. 74-75	308,906	7,534	30	11	—
4. 75-76	272,675	6,651	35	6	—
5. 76-77	330,526	8,062	35	6	—
6. 77-78	315,722	7,701	35	6	—
7. 78-79	442,354	10,789	38	—	3
8. 79-80*	375,387	9,156	37	—	4
9. 80-81	336,585	8,209	41	—	—
10. 81-82	280,564	6,843	41	—	—
11. 82-83	340,359	8,301	38	—	3

KINGS OVERALL ATTENDANCE MARKS

	TOTAL	(IN KANSAS CITY)	(IN OMAHA)	(IN ST. LOUIS)
1972-73	<u>261,860</u>	179,218	82,642	—
1973-74	<u>232,692</u>	155,348	77,344	—
1974-75	<u>308,906</u>	240,818	68,088	—
1975-76	<u>272,675</u>	234,068	38,607	—
1976-77	<u>330,526</u>	293,706	36,820	—
1977-78	<u>315,722</u>	280,370	35,352	—
1978-79	<u>442,354</u>	398,192	—	44,162
1979-80	<u>375,387</u>	336,032	—	39,355
1980-81	<u>336,585</u>	336,585	—	—
1981-82	<u>280,564</u>	280,564	—	—
1982-83	<u>340,359</u>	306,895	—	33,464
TOTALS	<u>3,497,630</u>	<u>3,041,796</u>	<u>338,853</u>	<u>116,981</u>
	Avg. 317,967	Avg. 276,527	Avg. 56,476	Avg. 38,994

KINGS ATTENDANCE RECORDS

TEN LARGEST CROWDS IN KANSAS CITY

DATE	OPPONENTS	ATTENDANCE	SCORE
1. 1/28/83	Philadelphia	16,896	Sixers 114-99
2. 2/20/80	Seattle	16,886	Kings 107-105
3. 3/23/75	Chicago	16,805	Kings 103-101
4. 12/28/82	Boston	16,482	Kings 129-124
5. 12/26/80	Philadelphia	16,006	Sixers 113-103
6. 11/28/76	Philadelphia	15,543	Kings 101-89
7. 12/6/78	Philadelphia	15,156	Sixers 114-106
8. 2/18/83	Los Angeles	15,116	Kings 124-118
9. 4/6/79	New Jersey	14,947	Kings 117-114
10. 3/2/75	Detroit	14,843	Kings 122-112

KINGS IN OVERTIME

82-83 (0-4)

L	Seattle	120-115
L	at Houston	116-115
L	at Utah	119-117
L	San Antonio	102-101

81-82 (2-5)

W	Chicago	122-120
L	at Detroit	127-119
L	Washington	109-106
L	at Portland	127-116
L	Boston	124-119
W	Dallas	113-109
L	Detroit	129-122

80-81 (0-5)

L	San Antonio	114-111
L	Denver	126-124
L	at Portland	129-123
L	at Milwaukee	118-112
L	Los Angeles	112-107

79-80 (2-3)

W	Washington	108-106
L	at Chicago	113-107
W	at Utah	128-121
L	at San Antonio	127-125
L	Seattle	107-102

78-79 (3-4)

W	New Jersey	117-114
W	Los Angeles	115-111
L	at Golden State	132-122
L	at Atlanta	122-120
L	at Golden State	111-110
L	at San Antonio	129-125
W	at Milwaukee	122-117

77-78 (3-0)

W	at Washington	108-105
W	Los Angeles	127-122
W	New Jersey	118-115

76-77 (1-4)

L	at Philadelphia	111-105
L	at New Orleans	100-94
L	Boston	126-125
L	Cleveland	98-91
W	Los Angeles	117-115

75-76 (2-1)

L	at Boston	120-117
W	Atlanta	114-113
W	at Phoenix	120-117

74-75 (0-2)

L	at New Orleans	114-107
L	at Cleveland	92-91

73-74 (1-0)

W	Houston	118-116
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72-73 (1-3)

L	Milwaukee	116-113
L	New York	116-115
W	Detroit	140-132
L	Chicago	106-97

TOTAL 15 - 31

The NBA record for most points scored in an overtime period is 13, held by two players. Can you name them?

Joe Caldwell and Earl Monroe co-hold the league mark for most points in an overtime session. Caldwell turned the trick on February 18, 1970 as an Atlanta Hawk against Cincinnati. Monroe, the first to accomplish the feat, did so 12 days previously for the Bullets against Detroit.

Can you name the original Bruise Brothers? When the term "Bruise Brothers" was coined in 1980 (in deference to a group of San Antonio Spurs frontcourters) the quintet consisted of: Paul Griffin, Kevin Restani, Dave Corzine, Mark Olberding, Reggie Johnson and George Johnson. Only Griffin is still a member of the Spurs.

KINGS FIRST ROUND DRAFT CHOICES

YEAR	PLAYER	SCHOOL	HT	POS
1983	‡Ennis Whatley (13)	Alabama	6-3½	G
1982	LaSalle Thompson (5)	Texas	6-10	C
1982	Brooke Steppe (17)	Georgia Tech.	6-5	G
1981	Steve Johnson (7)	Oregon State	6-10	C
1981	Kevin Loder (17)	Alabama State	6-6	G-F
1980	Charles "Hawkeye" Whitney	North Carolina State	6-5½	F-G
1979	Reggie King	Alabama	6-6	F
1978	Phil Ford	North Carolina	6-1	G
1978	**Mike Evans	Kansas State	6-1	G
1977	Otis Birdsong	Houston	6-4	G
1976	Richard Washington	UCLA	6-11	F
1975	Bill Robinzine	DePaul	6-7	F
1975	Bob Bigelow	Pennsylvania	6-7	F-G
1974	Scott Wedman	Colorado	6-7	F
1973	Ron Behagen	Minnesota	6-8	F
1972	Nate Williams	Utah State	6-5	F
1971	Ken Durrett	LaSalle	6-7	F
1970	Sam Lacey	New Mexico State	6-10	C
1969	Herm Gilliam	Purdue	6-3	G
1968	Don Smith (Abdul Aziz)	Iowa State	6-9	C-F
1967	*Mel Daniels	New Mexico	6-10	C-F
1966	Walt Wesley	Kansas	6-11	C
1965	Nate Bowman	Wichita State	6-10	C
1964	George Wilson	Cincinnati	6-8	F
1963	Thomas Thacker	Cincinnati	6-2	G

(Prior years not available)

*Signed in ABA

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‡Traded to Chicago for Mark Olberding

Who is the highest-scoring guard in NBA history? The highest scoring guard in NBA history is Oscar Robertson, who accumulated 26,710 points during his NBA career.

Name the only NBA expansion team to qualify for the playoffs in its first year. The only NBA expansion team to qualify for the playoffs in its first year was the 1966-67 Chicago Bulls. The Bulls were 33-48 that season and lost to St. Louis in the Western Division semis three-games-to-none.

1972 DRAFT	
2ndA	Sam Sibert — Kentucky State
B	Mike Ratliff — Eau Claire State
3rd	Ron Riley — USC
4th	Frank Schade — Eau Claire State
5th	Dave Bustion — Denver
6th	Jerry Crocker — Guilford
7th	Mike Sneed — Fayetteville
8th	Jerry Clack — Oklahoma
9th	Steve McMahon — Merrimack College
10th	David Hall — Kansas State
11th	Floyd Mathew — Northern Arizona
12th	Len Baltimore — George Washington
13th	Kent Scott — Pittsburgh
14th	Bob Allen — Missouri
15th	Mike Jefferies — Oklahoma State
16th	Mike Peterson — Nebraska

1973 DRAFT	
1st	(7th pick) Ron Behagen — Minnesota
2ndA	Mike D'Antoni — Marshall
B	Larry McNeill — Marquette
5th	M.L. Carr — Guilford, N.C.
6th	Mike Quick — San Francisco
7th	Mike Jeffries — Missouri
8th	Mike Williams — Kentucky Wesleyan
9th	James Brown — Dartmouth
10th	Ernie Kusyner — Kansas State

1974 DRAFT	
1st	(6th pick) Scott Wedman — Colorado
2nd	Len Kosmalksi — Tennessee
4th	Lloyd Batts — Cincinnati
5th	Terry Compton — Vanderbilt
6th	Ron Kennedy — Arizona
7th	Mark Browne — Missouri
8th	Richie O'Connor — Fairfield
9th	Jeff Dawson — Illinois
10th	Dennis White — Arkansas

1975 DRAFT	
1stA	(10th pick) Bill Robinsine — DePaul
B	(13th pick) Bob Bigelow — Penn
2nd	Glen Hansen — LSU
3rd	Bob Guyette — Kentucky
4th	Kevin Cleuss — St. John's (NY)
5th	Ed Stahl — No. Carolina
6th	Clint Chapman — USC
7th	Wayne Croft — Clemson
8th	Jim Bostic — N. Mexico St.

1976 DRAFT	
1st	(3rd pick) Richard Washington — UCLA
4th	Clarence Ramsey — Washington
5th	Willie Hodge — Duke
6th	Andre McCarter — UCLA
7th	Craig Prosser — Canisius
8th	Mike Davis — Bradley
9th	Dave Logan — Colorado
10th	Harry Bailey — N. Texas State

1977 DRAFT	
1st	(2nd pick) Otis Birdsong — Houston
2nd	Eddie Owens — UNLV
3rdA	Bill Paterno — Notre Dame
B	John Kuester — North Carolina
4th	Larry Williams — Texas Southern
5th	Bob Chapman — Michigan State
6th	Bob Cooper — Providence
7th	Bruce Jenner — Graceland

1978 DRAFT	
1st	(2nd pick) Phil Ford — North Carolina
3rd	Jeff Cook — Idaho State
4th	Geff Crompton — North Carolina
5th	Derick Claiborne — Massachusetts
6th	Jim Krivacs — Texas
7th	Charles McMillian — North Texas St.
8th	Ron Hammye — Bowling Green

1979 DRAFT	
1st	(18th pick) Reggie King — Alabama
3rd	Terry Crosby — Tennessee
4th	John McCullough — Oklahoma
5th	Curtis Watkins — DePaul
6th	Bob Roma — Princeton
7th	Nick Daniels — Xavier, Ohio
8th	Tony Vann — Ala-Huntsville
9th	Gary Wilson — So. Illinois
10th	Russell Saunders — New Mexico

1980 DRAFT	
1st	(16th pick) Hawkeye Whitney — No. Carolina State
3rd	Tony Murphy — Southern (LA)
5th	Kelvin Blakely — Eastern Michigan
6th	Trent Grooms — Kent State
7th	Arnold McDowell — Montana State
8th	Selected ineligible player
9th	Charlie Cole — Delta State
10th	Selected ineligible player

1981 DRAFT	
1stA	(7th pick) Steve Johnson — Oregon State
B	(17th) Kevin Loder — Alabama State
2nd	Eddie Johnson — Illinois
3rd	Curtis Berry — Missouri
4thA	Kenneth Dennard — Duke
B	B.B. Davis — Lamar
5th	U.S. Reed — Arkansas
6th	Brian Walker — Purdue
7th	Clinton Wheeler — William Paterson (N.J.)
8th	Randy Smithson — Wichita State
9th	Mike Perry — Richmond
10th	Mark Wilson — Ft. Hays State (KS)

1982 DRAFT	
1stA	(5th pick) LaSalle Thompson — Texas
B	(17th pick) Brook Stepe — Georgia Tech
3rd	Jim Johnstone — Wake Forest
4th	Mike Sanders — UCLA
5th	Ken Simpson — Grambling
6th	Poncho Wright — Louisville
7th	Perry Range — Illinois
8th	Ed Nealy — Kansas State
9th	Jack Moore — Nebraska
10th	Robert Estes — Iowa State

1983 DRAFT	
1st+	(13th pick) Ennis Whitley — Alabama
2nd%	Chris McNealy — San Jose State
3rd	Steve Harriel — Washington State
4th	Mike Jackson — Wyoming
5th	Lorenza Andrews — Oklahoma State
6th	Alvis Rogers — Wake Forest
7th	Dane Suttle — Pepperdine
8th	Preston Neumayr — Cal/Davis
9th	Bernard Hill — Panhandle (OK) State
10th	Aaron Haskins — Washington State
+ Traded to Chicago for Mark Oberding	
% Traded to Chicago for Larry Micheaux	

Since the Kemper Arena opened its doors on November 2, 1974, there have been 300 National Basketball Association regular season games played here and 13 playoff contests.

The overall regular season home record is 197-103 (.657) and the playoff record is 7-6 (.538). Only twice in 11 seasons have all 41 regular season NBA games been played at Kemper Arena. The all-time record at Municipal Auditorium is 21-7.

The official seating capacity is now 16,668, although that figure has been exceeded three times with an all-time record 16,896 viewing the Philadelphia game on January 28, 1983.

KANSAS CITY KINGS ALL-TIME ROSTER

35 YEARS

Rochester Royals, 1949-1957; Cincinnati Royals, 1958-1972;

Kansas City Kings 1972-1983; 190 Players from 108 Different Colleges.

PLAYER	COLLEGE	HT	WT	SEASONS
Adelman, Rick	Loyola (LA)	6-2	175	1 (75)
Allen, Lucius	UCLA	6-2	175	2 (78-79)
Anderzunas, Wally	Creighton	6-7	220	1 (70)
Archibald, Nate	Texas (El Paso)	6-1	165	6 (71-76)
Arnette, Jay	Texas	6-2	175	3 (64-66)
Arnzen, Bob	Notre Dame	6-6	215	1 (71)
Barr, Mike	Duquesne	6-3	180	1 (77)
Behagen, Ron	Minnesota	6-9	235	2 (74-75)
Bigelow, Bob	Pennsylvania	6-7	215	3 (76-78)
Birdsong, Otis	U. of Houston	6-4	195	4 (78-81)
Black, Tom	South Dakota State	6-10	220	1 (71)
Block, John	Southern California	6-10	220	2 (73-74)
Bockhorn, Arlen	Dayton	6-4	200	7 (59-65)
Boone, Ron	Idaho State	6-2	200	2 (77-78)
Boozer, Bob	Kansas State	6-8	215	4 (61-64)
Brookfield, Price	West Texas State	6-4	185	1 (50)
Buckhalter, Joe	Tennessee State	6-7	210	2 (62-63)
Burleson, Tom	North Carolina State	7-3	234	3 (78-80)
Burrow, Bob	Kentucky	6-7	230	1 (57)
Calhoun, Bill	None	6-3	180	3 (49-51)
Catlett, Sid	Notre Dame	6-8	230	1 (72)
Chappell, Len	Wake Forest	6-8	230	2 (67-68)
Christensen, Cal	Toledo	6-5	210	3 (53-55)
Coleman, Jack	Louisville	6-7	230	7 (50-56)
Cousy, Bob	Holy Cross	6-1	180	1 (70)
Cross, Pete	San Francisco	6-9	228	1 (73)
Curran, Francis	Notre Dame	6-0	175	2 (49-50)
D'Antoni, Mike	Marshall	6-3	190	3 (74-76)
Davies, Bob	Seton Hall	6-1	175	7 (49-55)
Davis, James	St. John's	6-7	220	1 (56)
Davis, Ralph	Cincinnati	6-4	180	1 (61)
Dees, Archie	Indiana	6-8	205	1 (59)
Dennard, Ken	Duke	6-8	225	2 (82-83)
Dierking, Connie	Cincinnati	6-10	225	6 (66-71)
Dinwiddie, Bill	New Mexico Highlands	6-7	220	2 (68-69)
Douglas, Leon	Alabama	6-10	242	3 (81-83)
Drew, Larry	Missouri	6-2	180	2 (82-83)
Duckett, Dick	St. John's	6-1	185	1 (58)
Duncan, Andy	William & Mary	6-6	195	2 (49-50)
Durrett, Ken	LaSalle	6-7½	195	4 (72-75)
Eakins, Jim	Brigham Young	6-11	215	1 (77)
Elmore, Len	Maryland	6-9½	220	1 (80)
Evans, Mike	Kansas State	6-1	170	1 (79)
Farmer, Mike	San Francisco	6-7	210	1 (61)
Fleming, Ed	Niagara	6-3	190	2 (56-57)
Ford, Phil	North Carolina	6-2	176	4 (79-82)
Foster, Fred	Miami (OH)	6-5	210	2 (70-71)
Fox, Jim	South Carolina	6-10	230	2 (68 & 72)
Frink, Pat	Colorado	6-4	195	1 (69)
Gambee, Dave	Oregon State	6-6	215	1 (60)
Gerard, Gus	Virginia	6-8	209	3 (79-81)
Gibbs, Dick	Texas	6-5	210	1 (73)
Gilliam, Herman	Purdue	6-3	185	1 (70)
Gray, Gary	Oklahoma City	6-1	185	1 (68)
Green, Johnny	Michigan State	6-6	200	4 (70-73)
Green, Mike	Louisiana Tech	6-10	200	1 (80)
Green, Sihugo	Duquesne	6-2	185	2 (57 & 59)
Grunfeld, Ernie	Tennessee	6-6	215	3 (80-82)
Guokas, Matty	St. Joseph's (PA)	6-5	175	4 (72-74, 76)
Hairston, Harold (Happy)	NYU	6-7	225	4 (65-68)

PLAYER	COLLEGE	HT	WT	SEASONS
Hannum, Alex	Southern California	6-7	225	3 (52-54)
Hansen, Glenn	LSU	6-5	205	3 (76-78)
Hansen, Lars	Washington	6-10	225	1 (78-79)
Harris, Chris	Dayton	6-3	190	1 (56)
Hawkins, Tom	Notre Dame	6-5	210	4 (63-66)
Hatton, Vernon	Kentucky	6-3	195	1 (59)
Hendricksen, Don	California	6-7	225	1 (55)
Heyman, Art	Duke	6-5	205	1 (66)
Hetzel, Fred	Davidson	6-8	230	1 (69)
Hillman, Darnell	San Jose State	6-9	224	1 (79)
Holzman, William (Red)	CCNY	5-10	175	6 (49-54)
Hyder, Greg	Eastern New Mexico	6-6	215	1 (71)
Imhoff, Darrell	California	6-10	220	2 (71-72)
Jackson, Al	Wilberforce	6-2	185	1 (66)
Johnson, Arnie	Bemidji State	6-5	240	5 (49-53)
Johnson, Eddie	Illinois	6-7	215	2 (82-83)
Johnson, Ollie	Temple	6-6	200	3 (75-77)
Johnson, Reggie	Tennessee	6-9	220	2 (82-83)
Johnson, Steve	Oregon State	6-10	245	2 (82-83)
Jones, Jake	Assumption	6-3	180	1 (72)
Jordan, Phil	Whitworth	6-10	210	2 (60-61)
Kimball, Toby	Connecticut	6-8	220	1 (73)
King, George	Morris Harvey	6-0	185	1 (58)
King, Jimmy	Tulsa	6-2	175	1 (70)
King, Reggie	Alabama	6-6	235	4 (80-83)
Kojis, Don	Marquette	6-6	215	3 (73-75)
Komives, Howard (Butch)	Bowling Green	6-1	185	1 (74)
Kosmalski, Len	Tennessee	7-0	245	2 (75-76)
Kuester, John	U. of North Carolina	6-2	180	1 (78)
Lacey, Sam	New Mexico State	6-10	235	12 (71-82)
Lambert, John	USC	6-10	225	2 (81-82)
Levane, Andrew (Fuzzy)	St. John's	6-2	190	1 (49)
Lewis, Freddie	Arizona State	6-0	280	2 (67)
Loder, Kevin	Alabama State	6-6	210	2 (82-83)
Love, Bob	Southern (LA)	6-8	215	2 (67-68)
Lovellette, Clyde	Kansas	6-9	235	1 (58)
Lucas, Jerry	Ohio State	6-8	230	7 (64-70)
Malamed, Lionel	CCNY	5-9	150	1 (49)
Manakas, Ted	Princeton	6-2	180	1 (74)
Marshall, Tom	Western Kentucky	6-4	215	3 (57-59)
May, Don	Dayton	6-4	200	1 (75)
McCarter, Andre	UCLA	6-3	190	2 (77-78)
McGlockin, Jon	Indiana	6-5	205	2 (66-67)
McGregor, Gil	Wake Forest	6-8	240	1 (72)
McKinney, Billy	Northwestern	6-0	162	2 (79-80)
McMahon, Jack	St. John's	6-1	185	4 (53-56)
McNamee, Joe	San Francisco	6-6	210	2 (51-52)
McNeil, Larry	Marquette	6-9	195	3 (74-76)
Meineke, Don	Dayton	6-7	210	2 (56 & 58)
Mengelt, John	Auburn	6-3	195	2 (72-73)
Meriweather, Joe C.	Southern Illinois	6-10	215	3 (81-83)
Mikan, Ed	DePaul	6-8	230	2 (50-51)
Moore, Otto	Pan American	6-11	220	1 (74)
Nachamkin, Boris	NYU	6-6	210	1 (55)
Nash, Bob	Hawaii	6-8	206	2 (78-79)
Nealy, Eddie	Kansas State	6-7	240	1 (83)
Noel, Paul	Kentucky	6-4	185	2 (51-52)
Nordmann, Bob (Bevo)	St. Louis	6-10	225	1 (62)
Novak, Mike	Loyola (IL)	6-9	220	2 (49-50)
Olsen, Bud	Louisville	6-8	220	4 (63-66)
Palmer, Jim	Dayton	6-8	225	2 (59-60)
Park, Med	Missouri	6-2	205	2 (59-60)
Parr, Jack	Kansas State	6-9	222	1 (59)
Paulk, Charles	N.E. Oklahoma State	6-9	215	1 (71)
Paulson, Gerald	Manhattan	6-2	187	1 (58)
Paxson, James	Dayton	6-6	200	1 (58)
Piontek, Dave	Xavier (OH)	6-6	230	5 (57-60, 63)

PLAYER	COLLEGE	HT	WT	SEASONS
Rackley, Luther	Xavier (OH)	6-10	225	1 (70)
Ragelis, Ray	Northwestern	6-4	205	1 (52)
Ranzino, Sammy	North Carolina State	6-1	185	1 (52)
Ratliff, Mike	Eau Claire State	6-10	230	1 (73)
Reddout, Frank	Syracuse	6-5	195	1 (54)
Redmond, Marlon	San Francisco	6-6	188	2 (79-80)
Reed, Hub	Oklahoma City	6-9	220	4 (60-63)
Regan, Richie	Seton Hall	6-2	180	3 (56-58)
Restani, Kevin	San Francisco	6-9	225	1 (78)
Ricketts, Dick	Duquesne	6-7	220	3 (56-58)
Riley, Don	Southern California	6-8	200	2 (73-74)
Risen, Arnie	Ohio State	6-9	200	7 (49-55)
Roberson, Rick	Cincinnati	6-9	235	1 (76)
Robertson, Oscar	Cincinnati	6-5	210	10 (61-70)
Robinson, Cliff	USC	6-9	220	1 (82)
Robinson, Flynn	Wyoming	6-1	190	3 (67-68, 71)
Robinzine, Bill	DePaul	6-7	230	5 (76-80)
Rodgers, Guy	Temple	6-0	185	1 (68)
Rollins, Phil	Louisville	6-2	190	3 (59-61)
Sanders, Frankie	Southern	6-6	195	1 (81)
Saul, Frank (Pep)	Seton Hall	6-2	185	2 (50-51)
Schade, Frank	Eau Claire State	6-1	170	1 (73)
Sibert, Sam	Kentucky State	6-7	215	1 (73)
Sims, Doug	Kent State	6-7	215	1 (73)
Smith, Adrian (Odie)	Kentucky	6-1	180	8 (62-70)
Smith, Don	Iowa State	6-9	235	1 (69)
Spears, Marion (Odie)	Western Kentucky	6-5	205	4 (52-55)
Spoelstra, Art	Western Kentucky	6-9	220	3 (55-57)
Staverman, Larry	Thomas More	6-8	220	4 (59-61, 64)
Steppe, Brook	Georgia Tech	6-5	190	1 (83)
Stevens, Wayne	Cincinnati	6-4	185	1 (60)
Stokes, Maurice	St. Francis (PA)	6-7	235	3 (56-58)
Swanson, Norman	Detroit	6-6	212	1 (54)
Taylor, Brian	Princeton	6-3	185	1 (77)
Thacker, Tom	Cincinnati	6-2	170	3 (64-66)
Thigpen, Justus	Weber State	6-1	160	1 (74)
Thompson, LaSalle	Texas	6-10	245	1 (83)
Tieman, Dan	Thomas More	6-0	185	1 (63)
Tresvant, John	Seattle	6-7	215	2 (68-69)
Tucker, Al	Oklahoma Baptist	6-8	190	1 (69)
Turner, Bill	Akron	6-7	220	1 (70)
Twyman, Jack	Cincinnati	6-6	210	11 (56-66)
Van Arsdale, Tom	Indiana	6-5	215	6 (68-73)
Van Lier, Norm	St. Francis (PA)	6-2	175	3 (70-72)
Walker, Jimmy	Providence	6-3	215	3 (74-76)
Walton, Lloyd	Marquette	6-0	160	1 (81)
Wanzer, Bobby	Seton Hall	6-0	172	9 (49-57)
Ware, Jim	Oklahoma City	6-7	210	1 (67)
Washington, Rich	UCLA	6-11	225	3 (77-79)
Wedman, Scott	Colorado	6-7	215	7 (75-81)
Wesley, Walt	Kansas	6-11	230	3 (67-69)
White, Jo Jo	Kansas	6-2	193	1 (81)
Whitney, Charles (Hawkeye)	North Carolina State	6-5½	213	2 (81-82)
Wiesenhahn, Bob	Cincinnati	6-4	215	1 (62)
Wifong, Win	Memphis State	6-2	185	2 (60-61)
Williams, Nate	Utah State	6-4	215	4 (72-75)
Williams, Ray	Minnesota	6-2	195	1 (83)
Williams, Willie	Florida State	6-7	198	1 (71)
Wilson, George	Cincinnati	6-8	225	3 (65-67)
Winfield, Lee	North Texas State	6-3	175	1 (76)
Woodson, Mike	Indiana	6-5	200	2 (82-83)
Zeller, Dave	Miami (OH)	6-2	175	1 (62)

THE SECOND SEASON, THE PLAYOFFS



CHANGES IN 1984 PLAYOFF STRUCTURE

The NBA's Board of Governors, at its annual summer meeting in New York last June, adopted a resolution that makes two major changes in the NBA's Playoff structure beginning with the 1983-84 season:

1. Sixteen teams shall qualify for the playoffs. There shall be eight teams from each conference, consisting of the two division champions and the six other teams in each conference with the best winning percentage during the regular season.

2. The first round of the playoffs shall be a best-of-five series (instead of best-of-three) with all succeeding rounds, including the NBA World Championship Series, best-of-seven. All teams will participate in the first round; byes that formerly went to division winners have been eliminated. Following are the playoff pairings:

Western Conference



Eastern Conference



SHOWDOWN '84

vs.

**NBA World
Championship**

Note: Team 1 in each conference is the division winner with the better record, Team 2 is the other division winner and Teams 3-8 are ranked according to their regular-season winning percentage.

How many NBA coaches once played for the team they currently coach? Four NBA coaches once played for the team they now coach: Pat Riley (Los Angeles), Billy Cunningham (Philly), Gene Shue (Washington, when the franchise was in Baltimore) and Lenny Wilkens (Seattle).

Which team holds the record for most points scored in a losing effort (in a regulation contest)? The mark for most points scored in a losing effort is held by the old San Diego Rockets. On March 12, 1970, the Rockets rang up 151 scores against Cincinnati and still lost.

KANSAS CITY KINGS IN THE NBA PLAYOFFS — 1949-1981

KINGS' PLAYOFF RECORD 45-62

1948-49 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Western Division Champion (45-15)						
Semifinals	March 22	Rochester	93	St. Louis	64	H
(2-0)	March 23	Rochester	66	St. Louis	64	A
	March 27	Rochester	79	Minneapolis	80	H
(0-2)	March 29	Rochester	55	Minneapolis	67	A
1949-50 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Tie with Minneapolis for Central Division Title (51-17)						
Tie-breaker (0-1)	March 21	Rochester	76	Minneapolis	78	H
1950-51 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Runner-up Western Division (41-27)						
Semifinals	March 20	Rochester	110	Fort Wayne	81	H
(2-1)	March 22	Rochester	78	Fort Wayne	83	A
	March 24	Rochester	97	Fort Wayne	78	H
	March 29	Rochester	73	Minneapolis	76	A
	March 31	Rochester	70	Minneapolis	66	A
	April 1	Rochester	83	Minneapolis	70	H
(3-1)	April 3	Rochester	80	Minneapolis	75	H
Championship	April 7	Rochester	92	New York	65	H
	April 8	Rochester	99	New York	84	H
	April 11	Rochester	78	New York	71	A
	April 13	Rochester	73	New York	79	A
	April 15	Rochester	89	New York	92	H
	April 18	Rochester	73	New York	80	A
(4-3)	April 21	Rochester	79	New York	75	H
1951-52 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Western Division Champions (41-25)						
Semi-Finals	March 18	Rochester	95	Fort Wayne	78	H
(2-0)	March 20	Rochester	92	Fort Wayne	86	A
	March 29	Rochester	88	Minneapolis	78	H
	March 30	Rochester	78	Minneapolis	83	H
	April 5	Rochester	67	Minneapolis	77	A
(1-3)	April 6	Rochester	80	Minneapolis	82	A
1952-53 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Runner-up Western Division (44-26)						
Semifinals	March 20	Rochester	77	Fort Wayne	84	H
(1-2)	March 22	Rochester	83	Fort Wayne	71	A
	March 24	Rochester	65	Fort Wayne	67	H
1953-54 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Runner-up Western Division (44-28)						
Semifinals	March 16	Rochester	82	Fort Wayne	75	H
(2-1)	March 17	Rochester	88	Minneapolis	109	A
	March 21	Rochester	89	Fort Wayne	71	A
	March 23	Rochester		Minneapolis	Cancelled	
	March 24	Rochester	76	Minneapolis	89	A
	March 27	Rochester	74	Minneapolis	73	H
(1-2)	March 28	Rochester	72	Minneapolis	82	A
1954-55 — ROCHESTER ROYALS — Third Place Western Division (29-43)						
Semifinals	March 16	Rochester	78	Minneapolis	82	A
(1-2)	March 18	Rochester	94	Minneapolis	94	H
	March 19	Rochester	110	Minneapolis	119	A
1957-58 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Third Place Western Division (33-39)						
Semifinals	March 26	Cincinnati	93	Detroit	100	A
(0-2)	March 27	Cincinnati	104	Detroit	124	H
1961-62 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Runner-up Western Division (43-37)						
Semifinals	March 16	Cincinnati	122	Detroit	123	A
(1-3)	March 17	Cincinnati	129	Detroit	107	H
	March 18	Cincinnati	107	Detroit	118	A
	March 20	Cincinnati	111	Detroit	112	H

1962-63 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Third Place Eastern Division (42-38)

Semifinals (3-2)	March 19	Cincinnati	120	Syracuse	123	A
	March 21	Cincinnati	133	Syracuse	115	H
	March 23	Cincinnati	117	Syracuse	121	A
	March 24	Cincinnati	125	Syracuse	118	H
	*March 26	Cincinnati	131	Syracuse	127	A
Eastern Div. Finals (3-4)	March 28	Cincinnati	135	Boston	132	A
	March 29	Cincinnati	102	Boston	125	H
	March 31	Cincinnati	121	Boston	116	A
	April 3	Cincinnati	110	Boston	128	H
	April 6	Cincinnati	120	Boston	125	A
	April 7	Cincinnati	109	Boston	99	H
	April 10	Cincinnati	131	Boston	142	A

1963-64 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Runner-up Eastern Division (55-25)

Semifinals (3-2)	March 22	Cincinnati	127	Philadelphia	102	H
	March 24	Cincinnati	114	Philadelphia	122	A
	March 25	Cincinnati	101	Philadelphia	89	H
	March 28	Cincinnati	120	Philadelphia	129	A
	March 29	Cincinnati	130	Philadelphia	124	H
Eastern Div. Finals (1-4)	March 31	Cincinnati	87	Boston	103	A
	April 2	Cincinnati	90	Boston	101	A
	April 5	Cincinnati	92	Boston	102	H
	April 7	Cincinnati	102	Boston	93	H
	April 9	Cincinnati	95	Boston	109	A

1964-65 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Runner-up Eastern Division (48-32)

Semifinals (1-3)	March 24	Cincinnati	117	Philadelphia	119	H
	March 26	Cincinnati	121	Philadelphia	120	A
	March 28	Cincinnati	94	Philadelphia	108	H
	March 31	Cincinnati	112	Philadelphia	119	A

1965-66 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Third Place Eastern Division (45-35)

Semifinals (2-3)	March 23	Cincinnati	107	Boston	103	A
	March 26	Cincinnati	125	Boston	132	H
	March 27	Cincinnati	113	Boston	107	A
	March 30	Cincinnati	103	Boston	120	H
	April 1	Cincinnati	103	Boston	112	A

1966-67 — CINCINNATI ROYALS — Third Place Eastern Division (39-42)

Semifinals (1-3)	March 21	Cincinnati	120	Philadelphia	116	A
	March 22	Cincinnati	102	Philadelphia	123	H
	March 24	Cincinnati	106	Philadelphia	121	A
	March 25	Cincinnati	94	Philadelphia	112	H

1974-75 — KANSAS CITY-OMAHA KINGS — Runner-up Midwest Division (44-38)

Semifinals (2-4)	April 9	KC-Omaha	89	Chicago	95	A
	April 13	KC-Omaha	102	Chicago	95	H
	April 16	KC-Omaha	90	Chicago	93	A
	*April 18	KC-Omaha	104	Chicago	100	H
	April 20	KC-Omaha	77	Chicago	104	A
	April 23	KC-Omaha	89	Chicago	101	H

1978-79 — KANSAS CITY KINGS — Midwest Division Champion (48-34)

Semifinals (1-4)	April 17	Kansas City	99	Phoenix	102	A
	April 20	Kansas City	111	Phoenix	91	H
	April 22	Kansas City	93	Phoenix	108	A
	April 25	Kansas City	94	Phoenix	108	H
	April 27	Kansas City	99	Phoenix	120	A

1979-80 — KANSAS CITY KINGS — Runner-up Midwest Division (47-35)

Mini-series (1-2)	April 2	Kansas City	93	Phoenix	96	A
	April 4	Kansas City	106	Phoenix	96	H
	April 6	Kansas City	99	Phoenix	114	A

1980-81 — KANSAS CITY KINGS — Western Conference Finalist (40-42)

Mini-series (2-1)	*April 1	Kansas City	98	Portland	97	A
	*April 3	Kansas City	119	Portland	124	H
	April 5	Kansas City	104	Portland	95	A
Semifinals (4-3)	April 7	Kansas City	80	Phoenix	102	A
	April 8	Kansas City	88	Phoenix	83	A
	April 10	Kansas City	93	Phoenix	92	H
	April 12	Kansas City	102	Phoenix	95	H

Western Con. Final (1-4)	April 15	Kansas City	89	Phoenix	101	A
	April 17	Kansas City	76	Phoenix	81	H
	April 19	Kansas City	95	Phoenix	88	A
	April 21	Kansas City	78	Houston	97	H
	April 22	Kansas City	88	Houston	79	H
	April 24	Kansas City	88	Houston	92	A
	April 26	Kansas City	89	Houston	100	A
	April 29	Kansas City	88	Houston	97	H

*Denotes overtime period

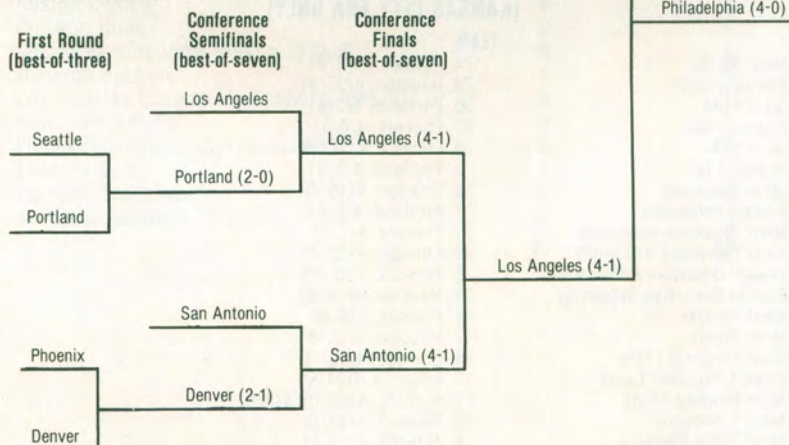


1983 NBA PLAYOFFS

EASTERN CONFERENCE



WESTERN CONFERENCE



KINGS PLAYOFF HIGHS & LOWS

(KANSAS CITY ERA ONLY)

	TEAM	INDIVIDUAL
Most Points	: 119, 4/3/81 vs Portland	32, Wedman, 4/4/80 vs Phoenix
Fewest Points	: 77, 4/20/75 @ Chicago	
Most FGM	: 51, 4/1/81 vs Portland	14, Birdsong, 80-81; Wedman, 80
Fewest FGM	: 28, 4/8/81 @ Phoenix	
Most FTM	: 32, 4/8/81 @ Phoenix	12, Archibald, 4/23/75 vs Chi
Fewest FTM	: 4, 4/1/81 @ Portland	
Most Rebounds	: 55, 4/27/79 @ Phoenix	20, Lacey, 4/13/75 vs Chicago
Fewest Rebounds	: 29, 4/24/81 @ Houston	
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 29, 4/27/79 @ Phoenix	9, Hillman, 4/27/79 @ Phoenix
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 38, 4/13/79 vs Chicago	19, Lacey, 4/13/75 vs Chicago
Most Assists	: 35, 4/1/81 @ Portland	13, Ford, 4/4/80 vs Phoenix
Most Personal Fouls	: 34, 4/20/79 @ Phoenix	
Fewest Personal Fouls	: 13, 4/4/80 @ Phoenix	5, Lacey, 4/17/79 @ Phoenix
Most Blocks	: 8, 4/17/79 @ Phoenix	
Most Turnovers	: 26, 4/20/75 @ Chicago & 4/22/79 @ Phoenix & 4/21/81 vs Houston	
Most Three-Pointers	: 3, 4/2/80 & 4/4/80 @ Phoenix	2, Ford, 80; Wedman 80-81
Most FGA	: 103, 4/27/79 @ Phoenix	26, Archibald, 4/13/75 vs Chi
Fewest FGA	: 64, 4/21/81 vs Houston	
Most FTA	: 46, 4/8/81 @ Phoenix	13, Archibald, 4/18/75; King, 4/8/81
Fewest FTA	: 8, 4/1/81 @ Portland	
Best FG%	: .548, 4/3/81 vs Portland	
Worst FG%	: .353, 4/23/75 vs Chicago	
Best FT%	: .913, 4/9/75 @ Chicago	
Worst FT%	: .500, 4/2/80 @ Phoenix & 4/1/81 @ Portland	
Most Points Half	: 67, 4/3/81 vs Portland	
Most Points Quarter	: 34, 4/7/81 @ Phoenix	
Fewest Points Quarter	: 11, 4/29/81 vs Houston	
Largest Victory Margin	: 10, 4/20/79 vs Phoenix & 4/4/80 vs Phoenix	
Largest Defeat Margin	: 27, 4/20/75 @ Chicago	

OPPONENTS PLAYOFF HIGHS AND LOWS

(KANSAS CITY ERA ONLY)

	TEAM
Most Points	: 124, Portland, 4/3/81
Fewest Points	: 79, Houston, 4/22/81
Most FGM	: 50, Portland, 4/3/81
Fewest FGM	: 27, Phoenix, 4/8/81
Most FTM	: 36, Phoenix, 4/27/79
Fewest FTM	: 5, Portland, 4/5/81
Most Rebounds	: 58, Chicago, 4/16/75
Fewest Rebounds	: 37, Portland, 4/5/81
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 22, Phoenix, 4/7/81
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 40, Chicago, 4/20/75
Fewest Offensive Rebounds	: 6, Phoenix, 4/22/79
Fewest Defensive Rebounds	: 25, Houston, 4/24/81
Most Assists	: 37, Phoenix, 4/6/80
Most Steals	: 17, Houston, 4/21/81
Most Personal Fouls	: 34, Chicago, 4/18/75
Fewest Personal Fouls	: 17, Houston, 4/21/81
Most Blocked Shots	: 7, 4/17/79, 4/22/79, 4/3/81
Most Turnovers	: 30, Phoenix, 4/22/79
Most Three-Pointers	: 2, 4/15/81, 4/19/81
Most FGA	: 96, 4/1/81, 4/3/81

Fewest FGA	: 70, Houston, 4/29/81
Most FTA	: 45, Phoenix, 4/27/79
Fewest FTA	: 8, Portland, 4/5/81
Best FG%	: .560, Houston, 4/24/81
Worst FG%	: .370, Phoenix, 4/8/81
Best FT%	: .938, Chicago, 4/9/75
Worst FT%	: .533, Houston, 4/24/81
Most Points Half	: 70, Phoenix, 4/27/79
Most Points Quarter	: 40 (2nd), Phoenix, 4/27/79
Fewest Point Half	: 31, Houston, 4/22/81
Fewest Points Quarter	: 13 (3rd), Houston, 4/22/81

OPPONENTS PLAYOFF HIGHS AND LOWS

(KANSAS CITY ERA ONLY)

INDIVIDUAL

Most Points	: 42, Moses Malone, Houston, 4/26/81
Most FGM	: 16, Bob Love, Chicago, 4/9/75 Bill Ray Bates, Portland, 4/5/81 Moses Malone, Houston, 4/26/81
Most FTM	: 13, Dennis Johnson, Phoenix, 4/8/81
Most Rebounds	: 24, Tom Boerwinkle, Chicago, 4/16/75
Most Offensive Rebounds	: 9, Tom Boerwinkle, Chicago, 4/16/75 Moses Malone, Houston, 4/20/81
Most Defensive Rebounds	: 17, Alvan Adams, Phoenix, 4/6/80
Most Assists	: 10, Kelvin Ransey, Portland, 4/1/81 Mike Dunleavy, Houston, 4/24/81
Most Steals	: 6, Allen Leavell, Houston, 4/21/81
Most Blocked Shots	: 4, Billy Paultz, Houston, 4/22/81
Most 3 Point FGM	: 2, Kyle Macy, Phoenix, 4/15/81
Most FGA	: 34, Moses Malone, Houston, 4/26/81
Most FTA	: 17, Dennis Johnson, Phoenix, 4/8/81

KANSAS CITY KINGS vs NBA PLAYOFF (ALL-TIME)

	KINGS	OPPONENTS
Boston Celtics	6	11
Chicago Bulls	2	4
Detroit Pistons (Fort Wayne 1949-58)	8	8
Houston Rockets	1	4
Los Angeles Lakers (Minneapolis 1948-60)	6	12
New York Knicks	4	3
Philadelphia 76ers (Syracuse 1950-63)	8	10
Phoenix Suns	6	9
Portland Trailblazers	2	1
St. Louis Bombers (1949-50)	2	0
	45	62



OPPONENTS

KANSAS CITY KINGS vs NBA (ALL-TIME)

1948-49 through 82-83 Season

(Rochester Royals 1948-49 through 1956-57, Cincinnati Royals 1957-58 through 1971-72, Kansas City-Omaha Kings 1972-73 through 1974-75, Kansas City Kings 1975-76 through Present)

ACTIVE NBA MEMBERS	KINGS	OPPONENTS
Atlanta Hawks	94	102
(Tri-Cities 1950-51; Milwaukee 1952-55; St. Louis 1956-58)		
Boston Celtics	90	141
Chicago Bulls	46	44
Cleveland Cavaliers	32	18
Dallas Mavericks	11	7
Denver Nuggets (former ABA)	19	17
Detroit Pistons (Ft. Wayne 1949-58)	91	95
Golden State Warriors (Philadelphia 1949-62; San Francisco 1963-71)	117	122
Houston Rockets (San Diego 1968-71)	41	34
Indiana Pacers (former ABA)	10	10
Los Angeles Lakers (Minneapolis 1948-60)	109	168
Milwaukee Bucks	27	50
New Jersey Nets (former ABA)	14	6
New York Knicks	123	106
Philadelphia 76ers (Syracuse Nats 1950-63)	94	128
Phoenix Suns	35	41
Portland Trailblazers	26	36
San Antonio Spurs (formerly ABA)	9	23
San Diego Clippers (Buffalo Braves 1970-78)	40	19
Seattle Supersonics	32	51
Utah Jazz (New Orleans 1974-79)	28	16
Washington Bullets (Chicago Zephyrs 1962-63; Baltimore 1963-72; Capitals 1973-74)	70	58
NON-ACTIVE NBA MEMBERS		
Anderson Packers (1950)	2	0
Waterloo Hawks (1950)	2	0
St. Louis Bombers (1949-50)	11	1
Indianapolis Jets (1949)	5	1
Chicago Stags (1949-50)	8	4
Indianapolis Olympians (1950-53)	18	12
Providence Steamrollers (1949)	3	2
Sheboygan Redskins (1950)	1	1

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 Home Kings 13, Hawks 4
 Road Kings 7, Hawks 10
Current Streak Kings 3 wins

1/2 KC 108-Atl 104 @ Atl
4/13 KC 114-Atl 103 @ KC

Sat. Feb. 18 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Wed. Mar. 14 @ Atl (7:40 EST)

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Tom Heinsohn
KC-Era Record:.....Kings 15, Celtics 21
Home.....Kings 11, Celtics 7
Road.....Kings 4, Celtics 14
Current Streak.....Celtics 1 win

12/28 KC 129-Bos 124 @ KC
3/1 Bos 129-KC 111 @ Bos

Tues. Jan. 17 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Wed. Feb. 1 @ Bos (7:30 EST)

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Colors Red, White and Black

Radio WIND (560 am), Jim Durham
TV Sportsvision (ON-TV), TBA
WGN (ch. 9), Milo Hamilton
KC-Era Record Kings 31, Bulls 23
Home Kings 18, Bulls 8
Road Kings 12, Bulls 15
Current Streak Kings 3 wins

Kings vs. Bulls (82-83)

12/1 KC 143-Chi 132 @ KC
4/12 KC 112-Chi 102 @ Chi

Kings vs. Bulls (83-84)

Tues. Nov. 8 @ Chi (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Mar. 8 @ KC (7:35 CST)

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Radio WERE (1300 am), Joe Tait
TV WWAB (ch. 43), TBA
KC-Era Record: Kings 26, Cavs 16
Home Kings 17, Cavs 4
Road Kings 9, Cavs 12
Current Streak Kings 1 win

Kings vs. Cavs (82-83)

11/28 Cleve 118-KC 110 @ Cleve
3/22 KC 117-Cleve 94 @ KC

Kings vs. Cavs (83-84)

Tues. Feb. 28 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Sun. Mar. 18 @ Cleve (7:35 EST)

Name the player who holds the record for most free throws made in a career. The NBA career record for free throws is held by Oscar Robertson. "The Big O" threw in 7,694 charity tosses during his stay in the NBA.

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Kings vs. Mavericks (82-83)

11/5 Dal 118-KC 113 @ KC
11/20 KC 127-Dal 120 @ Dal
1/16 Dal 125-KC 115 @ KC
2/26 Dal 118-KC 107 @ Dal
3/9 KC 129-Dal 113 @ KC
3/26 KC 114-Dal 111 @ Dal

Radio WBAP (820 am), Dave Barnett,
Allen Stone
TV KXAS (ch. 5), TBA
KC-Era Record Kings 11, Mavericks 7
Home Kings 6, Mavericks 3
Road Kings 5, Mavericks 4
Current Streak Kings 2 wins

Kings vs. Mavericks (83-84)

Fri. Nov. 25 @ Dal (7:35 CST)
Tues. Dec. 6 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Tues. Jan. 10 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Fri. Feb. 10 @ Dal (7:35 CST)
Fri. Mar. 2 @ Dal (7:35 CST)
Sat. Mar. 3 @ KC (7:35 CST)

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Purple and Orange

Kings vs. Nuggets (82-83)

12/22 KC 146-Den 102 @ KC
1/4 Den 137-KC 121 @ Den
1/5 KC 138-Den 118 @ KC
1/25 Den 119-KC 112 @ Den
4/6 KC 130-Den 113 @ KC
4/17 Den 125-KC 116 @ Den

Radio KOA (850 am), Jeff Kingery,
Bob Martin
TV KWGN (ch. 2), Jim Conrad,
Irv Brown
Cable: Ron Zappolo, Irv Brown
KC-Era Record: Kings 19, Nuggets 17
Home Kings 13, Nuggets 5
Road Kings 6, Nuggets 12
Current Streak Nuggets 1 win

Kings vs. Nuggets (83-84)

Thurs. Nov. 3 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Tues. Dec. 20 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Fri. Jan. 20 @ Den (7:40 MST)
Sat. Feb. 4 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Sat. Feb. 25 @ Den (7:40 MST)
Fri. Mar. 23 @ Den (7:40 MST)

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and TBA
TV..... WKBD (ch. 50), George Blaha,
Dave Bing
KC-Era Record Kings 23, Pistons 24
Home Kings 18, Pistons 5
Road Kings 5, Pistons 19
Current Streak Kings 2 wins

Kings vs. Pistons (82-83)
11/24 KC 122-Det 112 @ KC
3/3 KC 125-Det 118 @ Det

Kings vs. Pistons (83-84)
Sat. Nov. 12 @ Det (7:35 EST)
Tues. Feb. 21 @ KC (7:35 CST)

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Radio..... KCBS (74 am), Ted Robinson
TV..... KRBK (ch. 31), TBA
KC-Era Record: ... Kings 23, Warriors 31
Home Kings 15, Warriors 13
Road Kings 8, Warriors 18
Current Streak Kings 4 wins

Kings vs. Warriors (82-83)
12/3 GS 123-KC 107 @ KC
12/18 KC 106-GS 90 @ GS
2/9 KC 103-GS 98 @ KC
3/20 KC 128-GS 114 @ KC
4/2 KC 122-GS 112 @ GS

Kings vs. Warriors (83-84)
Tues. Nov. 1 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Dec. 1 @ GS (7:35 PST)
Thurs. Dec. 15 @ GS (7:35 PST)
Sun. Mar. 11 @ KC (6:05 CST)
Sat. Apr. 7 @ GS (8:05 PST)

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Radio . . . KPRC (950 am), Gene Peterson
 TV KTXH (ch. 20), Greg Lucas
 KC-Era Record Kings 27, Rockets 21
 Home Kings 18, Rockets 6
 Road Kings 9, Rockets 15
 Current Streak Kings 3 wins

Kings vs. Rockets (82-83)

11/25 KC 88-Hou 79 @ Hou
 1/21 KC 115-Hou 108 @ KC
 2/8 Hou 116-KC 115 @ Hou
 2/20 KC 128-Hou 106 @ KC
 3/29 KC 111-Hou 95 @ Hou
 4/15 KC 117-Hou 102 @ KC

Kings vs. Rockets (83-84)

Sat. Nov. 5 @ KC (7:35 CST)
 Sat. Jan. 14 @ Hou (7:40 CST)**
 Tues. Jan 31 @ KC (7:35 CST)
 Thurs. Mar. 1 @ Hou (7:00 CST)*
 Tues. Mar. 20 @ Hou (7:40 CST)
 Sat. Apr. 4 @ KC (7:35 CST)

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 Colors Blue and Gold

Radio WIBC (1070 am), Bob Lamey
 TV WTTV (ch 4), Bob Lamey
 KC-Era Record: Kings 10, Pacers 10
 Home Kings 8, Pacers 2
 Road Kings 2, Pacers 8
 Current Streak Kings 1 win

Kings vs. Pacers (82-83)

1/29 Ind 133-KC 122 @ Ind
 3/4 KC 120-Ind 103 @ KC

Kings vs. Pacers (83-84)

Sat. Dec. 10 @ KC (7:35 CST)
 Thurs. Mar. 15 @ Ind (7:35 EST)

P.O. Box 10, Inglewood, CA 90306
(213) 674-6000
Home Court: The Forum (17,505)



President	Bill Sharman
General Manager	Jerry West
Head Coach	Pat Riley
Assistant Coaches	Bill Bertka
	Dave Wohl
Trainer	Jack Curran
Public Relations	Josh Rosenfeld
Colors	Royal Purple and Gold

Radio KLAC (570 am), Chick Hearn,
Keith Erickson
TV KHJ (ch. 9), Chick Hearn,
Keith Erickson
KC-Era Record Kings 16, Lakers 38
Home Kings 14, Lakers 12
Road Kings 2, Lakers 26*
Current Streak Lakers 1 win
*The last time the Kings won in The Forum
was 10/20/74. They have lost 21 consecu-
tive contests @ LA

11/9 LA 139-KC 117 @ LA
2/4 LA 143-KC 125 @ St.L
2/6 LA 116-KC 106 @ LA
2/18 KC 124-LA 118 @ KC
3/8 LA 109-KC 96 @ LA

Fri. Oct. 28 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Dec. 8 @ LA (7:30 PST)**
Thurs. Jan. 12 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Wed. Mar. 21 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Fri. Apr. 6 @ LA (7:35 PST)
**Televised on USA Cable Network

901 N. Fourth St., Milwaukee, WI 53203
(414) 272-6030
Home Court: Milwaukee Arena (11,052)



President James F. Fitzgerald
V.P., Business
Operations John Steinmiller
Head Coach Don Nelson
Assistant Coaches Garry St. Jean
Mike Schuler
Trainer Jeff Snedeker
Public Relations Bill King II
Colors Forest Green, Red and White

Radio..... WTMJ (620 am), and Bucks
Radio Network, Jim Irwin, Jon McGlocklin
TV..... WVTV (ch. 18), Eddie Doucette,
Jon McGlocklin
KC-Era Record: Kings 19, Bucks 35
Home Kings 14, Bucks 13
Road Kings 5, Bucks 22
Current Streak Bucks 1 win

11/2 KC 119-Milw 112 @ KC
3/11 Milw 108-KC 100 @ Milw

Wed. Nov. 9 @ Milw (7:30 CST)
Tues. Feb. 7 @ KC (7:35 CST)

NEW JERSEY NETS

Brendan Byrne Arena, E. Rutherford, NJ 07073
(201) 935-8888
Home Court: Brendan Byrne Arena (20,100)



President Joe Taub
Executive V-President Lewis Schaffel
General Manager Bob MaeKinnon
Head Coach Stan Albeck
Assistant Coaches John Killilea
Jan Kull
Trainer Fritz Massman
Public Relations Jim Lampariello
Colors Red, White and Blue

Radio WNBC (66 am), Mel Proctor,
Mike Ditomasso
TV WOR (ch. 9), Sportschannel-Cable,
Steve Albert, Bill Raftery, Bob Goldsholl
KC-Era Record Kings 15, Nets 6
Home Kings 9, Nets 1*
Road Kings 6, Nets 5
Current Streak Kings 1 win

Kings vs. Nets (82-83)

11/30 NJ 112-KC 103 @ NJ
12/15 KC 119-NJ 118 @ KC

Kings vs. Nets (83-84)

Tues. Jan. 24 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Fri. Feb. 3 @ NJ (7:35 EST)

*NJ has lost six straight years at Kemper Arena, their last win was 3/8/78

NEW YORK KNICKERBOCKERS

Four Pennsylvania Plaza, New York, NY 10001
(212) 563-8054
Home Court: Madison Square Garden



President John H. Krumpe
V-P, Director of Basketball
Operations David A. DeBusschere
V-P, Director of Player
Personnel Edward J. Donovan
Head Coach Hubie Brown
Assistant Coaches Richie Adubato
Rick Pitino
Trainer Mike Sanders
Director of Communications John Hewig
Asst. Director of
Communications Carl Martin
Colors Orange and Blue

Radio ... TBA, Marv Albert, John Andariese
TV WOR (ch. 9), Marv Albert,
Butch Beard
KC-Era Record Kings 15, Knicks 20
Home Kings 8, Knicks 9
Road Kings 7, Knicks 11
Current Streak Knicks 1 win

Kings vs. Knicks (82-83)

1/19 KC 91-NY 88 @ KC
1/31 NY 114-KC 97 @ NY

Kings vs. Knicks (83-84)

Tues. Feb. 14 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Sat. Mar. 17 @ NY (7:35 EST)

P.O. Box 25040, Philadelphia, PA 19147
(215) 339-7600
Home Court: The Spectrum (18,482)

President	Harold Katz
General Manager	Pat Williams
Head Coach	Billy Cunningham
Assistant Coaches	Matt Guokas
	Jack McMahon
Trainer	Al Domenico
Public Relations	Harvey Pollack
Colors	Red, White & Blue

1/8 Phil 125-KC 113 @ Phil
1/28 Phil 114-KC 99 @ KC



Radio.....WFIL (560 am), Neil Funk,
John Nash
TV..WPHL (ch. 17), Neil Funk, John Nash
PRISM (cable), Jim Barniak, Andy Musser
KC-Era Record.....Kings 9, Sixers 24
Home.....Kings 6, Sixers 9
Road.....Kings 3, Sixers 15
Current Streak.....Sixers 6 wins

Fri. Nov. 11 @ Phil (7:35 EST)
Tues. Dec. 27 @ KC (7:35 CST)

2910 N. Central Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85018
(602) 266-5753
Home Court: Veteran's Memorial Coliseum (14,660)

President	Richard Bloch
General Manager	Jerry Colangelo
Head Coach	John MacLeod
Assistant Coaches	Al Bianchi John Wetzel
Trainer	Joe Proski
Public Relations	Tom Ambrose
Colors	Purple, Orange and Copper

11/10 Phoe 106-KC 100 @ Phoe
11/27 KC 105-Phoe 99 @ KC
1/23 Phoe 102-KC 92 @ KC
2/16 Phoe 111-KC 102 @ St.L
3/24 Phoe 112-KC 95 @ Phoe



Radio KTAR (620 am), Al McCoy
TV KPNX, Al McCoy, Dick VanArsdale
American Cable, Al McCoy, Joe Gilmartin
KC-Era Record Kings 25, Suns 29
Home Kings 17, Suns 10
Road Kings 8, Suns 19
Current Streak Suns 3 wins

Wed. Nov. 30 @ Phoe (7:35 MST)
Sat. Dec. 17 @ Phoe (7:35 MST)
Sat. Jan. 7 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Feb. 23 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Tues. Apr. 3 @ Phoe (7:35 MST)

PORTLAND TRAILBLAZERS

700 NE Multnomah, Lloyd Building, Suite 950, Portland, OR 97232
(503) 234-9291
Home Court: Memorial Coliseum (12,666)



trailblazers

President Lawrence Weinberg
General Manager Stu Inman
Head Coach Jack Ramsay
Assistant
Coaches Morris "Bucky" Buckwalter
Rick Adelman
Trainer Ron Culp
Public Relations John White
Colors Scarlet, Black and White

Radio KEX (1190 am), Bill Schonely,
Dave Twardzik
TV KOIN (ch. 6), Steve Jones,
Larry Steele
KC-Era Record Kings 25, Blazers 34
Home Kings 21, Blazers 11
Road Kings 4, Blazers 23
Current Streak Kings 1 win

Kings vs. Trailblazers (82-83)

10/29 KC 113-Port 111 @ KC
12/30 Port 113-KC 107 @ KC
1/15 Port 121-KC 110 @ Port
3/15 Port 115-KC 98 @ Port
3/27 KC 110-Port 95 @ KC

Kings vs. Trailblazers (83-84)

Mon. Nov. 28 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Tues. Jan 3 @ Port (7:35 PST)
Sat. Jan 21 @ Port (7:35 PST)
Tues. Mar. 6 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Mar 29 @ Port (7:00 PST)*

*Televised on USA Cable Network

SAN ANTONIO SPURS

P.O. Box 530, San Antonio, TX 78292
(512) 224-4611
Home Court: Hemisphere Arena (15,693)



President Angelo Drossos
General Manager Bob Bass
Head Coach Morris McHone
Assistant Coach Allan Bristow
Trainer John Andersen
Public Relations Wayne Witt
Colors Metallic Silver and Black

Radio WOAI, Sam Smith
TV UA Columbia Cable &
The Sports Channel, Sam Smith
KC-Era Record Kings 9, Spurs 23
Home Kings 6, Spurs 10
Road Kings 3, Spurs 13
Current Streak Spurs 2 wins

Kings vs. Spurs (82-83)

11/16 KC 105-SA 102 @ SA
12/8 SA 102-KC 101 @ KC (OT)
12/11 KC 122-SA 110 @ SA
1/12 KC 118-SA 113 @ KC
2/25 SA 131-KC 125 @ KC
4/5 SA 130-KC 113 @ SA

Kings vs. Spurs (83-84)

Thurs. Nov. 17 @ SA (7:30 CST)
Fri. Dec. 23 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Dec. 29 @ SA (7:30 CST)
Wed. Feb. 8 @ SA (7:30 CST)
Sat. Mar. 24 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Thurs. Apr. 12 @ KC (7:35 CST)

SAN DIEGO CLIPPERS

3500 Sports Arena Blvd., San Diego, CA 92110
(619) 226-1275
Home Court: San Diego Sports Arena (13,841)



President Donald T. Sterling
General Manager Paul Phipps
Head Coach Jim Lynam
Assistant Coaches Don Chaney
Don Casey
Trainer Mike Shimensky
Public Relations Jim Dunlap
Colors Red, White and Blue

Radio KOGO (600 am), Ralph Lawler
TV KFMB (ch. 8), Ted Leitner
KC-Era Record Kings 31, Clippers 16
Home Kings 17, Clippers 6
Road Kings 14, Clippers 10
Current Streak Kings 2 wins

Kings vs. Clippers (82-83)

11/13 KC 112-SD 111 @ SD
12/10 KC 118-SD 106 @ KC
1/14 SD 127-KC 120 @ SD
3/6 KC 144-SD 105 @ KC
4/1 KC 135-SD 119 @ KC

Kings vs. Clippers (83-84)

Tues. Nov. 22 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Fri. Dec. 30 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Wed. Jan. 4 @ SD (7:35 PST)
Sun. Jan. 15 @ KC (4:05 CST)
Wed. Apr. 4 @ SD (7:35 PST)

SEATTLE SUPERSONICS

419 Occidental Ave. S., Seattle, WA 98104
(206) 628-8410
Home Court: Kingdome (40,192)



President Sam Schulman
General Manager Les Habegger
Head Coach Lenny Wilkens
Assistant Coach Dave Harshman
Trainer Frank Furtado
Dir. of Public Relations/
Community Affairs Nancy Welts
Media Relations Coordinator... Jeff Troesch
Colors Green and Yellow

Radio KIRO (710 am), Bob Blackburn
TV Superchannel, Jim Marsh,
Wayne Cody
KC-Era Record Kings 21, Sonics 33
Home Kings 11, Sonics 15
Road Kings 10, Sonics 18
Current Streak Sonics 4 wins

Kings vs. Sonics (82-83)

12/5 KC 106-Sea 103 @ St.L
12/17 Sea 93-KC 90 @ Sea
1/16 Sea 111-KC 96 @ Sea
3/13 Sea 120-KC 115 @ KC
3/16 Sea 110-KC 102 @ Sea

Kings vs. Sonics (83-84)

Sun. Oct. 20 @ KC (1:05 CST)
Wed. Dec. 14 @ Sea (7:30 PST)
Thurs. Jan 26 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Wed. Mar. 28 @ Sea (9:30 PST)
Tues. Apr. 10 @ KC (7:35 CST)

Sonics Hotline: (206) 421-5555

UTAH JAZZ

Sports Mall Plaza, 5505 South 9th East, Suite 200,
Salt Lake City, UT 84117
(801) 263-3636
Home Court: The Salt Palace (12,143)



President Sam D. Battistone
General Manager/
Head Coach Frank Layden
Assistant Coaches Phil Johnson
Scott Layden
Trainer Don Sparks
Public Relations Laura Herlovich
Colors Purple, Green and Gold

Radio KSL (1160 am), Rod Hundley
TV KSL (ch. 5), Rod Hundley
KC-Era Record Kings 28, Jazz 16
Home Kings 20, Jazz 2
Road Kings 8, Jazz 14
Current Streak Kings 2 wins

Kings vs. Jazz (82-83)

12/20 UT 119-KC 117 @ UT
12/26 KC 120-UT 118 @ KC
1/7 KC 139-UT 117 @ KC
1/11 UT 106-KC 98 @ UT
4/8 KC 112-UT 97 @ KC
4/9 KC 108-UT 102 @ UT

Kings vs. Jazz (83-84)

Sat. Nov. 26 @ KC (7:35 CST)
Sat. Dec. 3 @ UT (7:35 MST)
Fri. Jan. 6 @ UT (7:35 MST)
Thurs. Feb. 16 @ KC (7:00 CST)
Tues. Mar. 27 @ UT (7:35 MST)
Sat. Mar. 31 @ KC (7:35 CST)

WASHINGTON BULLETS

Capital Centre, One Harry S Truman Dr., Landover,
MD 20786
(301) 350-3400 (301) 967-5890 (pr)
Home Court: Capital Centre (19,305)



President Abe Pollin
General Manager Bob Ferry
Head Coach Gene Shue
Assistant Coaches Bernie Bickerstaff
Don Moran
Trainer John Lally
Public Relations Mark Pray
Colors Red, White and Blue

Radio WTOP (1500 am), TBA
TV WDCA (ch. 20), John Sterling,
James Brown
KC-Era Record Kings 16, Bullets 19
Home Kings 11, Bullets 6
Road Kings 5, Bullets 13
Current Streak Kings 2 wins

Kings vs. Bullets (82-83)

2/2 KC 117-WA 115 @ WA
2/23 KC 113-WA 107 @ KC

Kings vs. Bullets (83-84)

Tues. Nov. 15 @ WA (7:35 EST)
Sat. Feb. 11 @ KC (7:35 CST)

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Commissioner: Lawrence F. O'Brien

KINGS ROAD HEADQUARTERS

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1 Omni International
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HYATT REGENCY CAMBRIDGE
575 Memorial Drive
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HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO -
ILLINOIS CENTER
151 Wacker Drive
312-555-1000

CLEVELAND

MARRIOTT INN AIRPORT
4277 W. 150th St.
216-252-5333

DALLAS

HYATT REGENCY
300 Reunion Blvd.
214-651-1234

DENVER

DENVER MARRIOTT HOTEL
Interstate 25 at Hampden Ave.
303-758-7000

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NORTHFIELD HILTON
5500 Crooks Road
313-879-2100

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OAKLAND HYATT HOUSE
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415-562-6100

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WESTIN GALLERIA HOTEL
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713-960-8100

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1 South Capitol Avenue
317-632-1234

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MARINA DEL REY MARRIOTT
13480 Maxella Avenue
213-822-8555

MILWAUKEE

HYATT REGENCY
333 W. Kilbourn Avenue
414-276-1234

NEW JERSEY

THE MEADOWLAND HILTON
Two Harmon Plaza
201-348-6900

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LOWES SUMMIT
Lexington & 51st Avenue
212-752-7000

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PHILADELPHIA AIRPORT HILTON INN
10th & Packer Avenue
215-755-9500

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THE HOTEL WESTCOURT
10220 N. Metro Parkway E
602-997-5900

PORTLAND

THUNDERBIRD-JANTZEN BEACH
1401 N. Hayden Island
503-283-2111

SAN ANTONIO

HYATT REGENCY
123 Losoya
512-222-1234

SAN DIEGO

PLAZA INTERNATIONAL
1515 Hotel Circle South
714-291-8790

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SEATTLE SHERATON HOTEL
Sixth & Pike
206-621-9000

UTAH

MARRIOTT
75 S.W. Temple
801-531-0800

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HYATT ARLINGTON
1325 Wilson Blvd.
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NBA RECORDS



NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONS

YEAR	CHAMPION TEAM	COACH	WON	LOST	PLACING	CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES	
						OPPONENT	WON LOST
1947	Philadelphia	Ed Gottlieb	35	25	2 ED	Chicago	4 1
1948	Baltimore	Buddy Jeannette	28	20	2T WD	Philadelphia	4 2
1949	Minneapolis	John Kundla	44	16	2 WD	Washington	4 2
1950	Minneapolis	John Kundla	51	17	1T CD	Syracuse	4 2
1951	Rochester	Les Harrison	41	27	2 WD	New York	4 3
1952	Minneapolis	John Kundla	40	26	2 WD	New York	4 3
1953	Minneapolis	John Kundla	48	22	1 WD	New York	4 1
1954	Minneapolis	John Kundla	46	26	1 WD	Syracuse	4 3
1955	Syracuse	Al Cervi	43	29	1 ED	Ft. Wayne	4 3
1956	Philadelphia	George Senesky	45	27	1 ED	Ft. Wayne	4 1
1957	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	44	28	1 ED	St. Louis	4 3
1958	St. Louis	Alex Hannum	41	31	1 WD	Boston	4 2
1959	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	52	20	1 ED	Minneapolis	4 0
1960	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	59	16	1 ED	St. Louis	4 3
1961	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	57	22	1 ED	St. Louis	4 1
1962	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	60	20	1 ED	Los Angeles	4 3
1963	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	58	22	1 ED	Los Angeles	4 2
1964	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	59	21	1 ED	San Francisco	4 1
1965	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	62	18	1 ED	Los Angeles	4 1
1966	Boston	Arnold Auerbach	54	26	2 ED	Los Angeles	4 3
1967	Philadelphia	Alex Hannum	68	13	1 ED	San Francisco	4 2
1968	Boston	Bill Russell	54	28	2 ED	Los Angeles	4 2
1969	Boston	Bill Russell	48	34	4 ED	Los Angeles	4 3
1970	New York	Red Holzman	60	22	1 ED	Los Angeles	4 3
1971	Milwaukee	Larry Costello	66	16	1 MWD	Baltimore	4 0
1972	Los Angeles	Bill Sharman	69	13	1 PD	New York	4 1
1973	New York	Red Holzman	57	25	2 AD	Los Angeles	4 1
1974	Boston	Tom Heinsohn	56	26	1 AD	Milwaukee	4 3
1975	Golden State	Al Attles	48	34	1 PD	Washington	4 0
1976	Boston	Tom Heinsohn	54	28	1 AD	Phoenix	4 2
1977	Portland	Jack Ramsay	49	32	2 PD	Philadelphia	4 2
1978	Washington	Dick Motta	44	38	2 CD	Seattle	4 3
1979	Seattle	Lenny Wilkens	52	30	1 PD	Washington	4 1
1980	Los Angeles	Paul Westhead	60	22	1 PD	Philadelphia	4 2
1981	Boston	Bill Fitch	62	20	1T AD	Houston	4 2
1982	Los Angeles	Pat Riley	57	25	1 PD	Philadelphia	4 2
1983	Philadelphia	Billy Cunningham	65	17	1 ED	Los Angeles	4 0

AD — Atlantic Division

CD — Central Division

ED — Eastern Division

MWD — Midwest Division

PD — Pacific Division

WD — Western Division

NBA TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Boston	14
Minneapolis	5
Philadelphia	4
Los Angeles	3
New York	2
Baltimore	1
Golden State	1
Milwaukee	1
Portland	1
Rochester	1
St. Louis	1
Seattle	1
Syracuse	1
Washington	1

John Kundla	5
Alex Hannum	2
Tom Heinsohn	2
Red Holzman	2
Bill Russell	2
Al Attles	1
Al Cervi	1
Larry Costello	1
Billy Cunningham	1
Bill Fitch	1
Ed Gottlieb	1
Les Harrison	1
Buddy Jeannette	1
Dick Motta	1
Jack Ramsay	1
Pat Riley	1
George Senesky	1
Bill Sharman	1
Paul Westhead	1
Lenny Wilkens	1

NBA COACHING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Arnold Auerbach	9
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MAJOR-LEAGUE ALL-TIME TOP SCORERS (ABA included)

Player	Yrs.	Games	Points	Avg.
Wilt Chamberlain	14	1,045	31,419	30.1
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	14	1,090	29,810	27.3
Elvin Hayes	15	1,222	26,911	22.0
Oscar Robertson	14	1,040	26,710	25.7
John Havlicek	16	1,270	26,395	20.8
*Rick Barry	14	1,020	25,279	24.8
Jerry West	14	932	25,192	27.0
*Dan Issel	13	1,065	24,992	23.5
*Julius Erving	12	954	24,393	25.6
Elgin Baylor	14	846	23,149	27.4
*George Gervin	11	830	21,779	26.2
Hal Greer	15	1,122	21,586	19.2
Walt Bellamy	14	1,043	20,941	20.1
Bob Pettit	11	792	20,880	26.4
*Artis Gilmore	12	960	20,028	20.9
Dolph Schayes	16	1,059	19,249	18.2
Gail Goodrich	14	1,031	19,181	18.6
Chet Walker	13	1,032	18,831	18.2
Dave Bing	12	901	18,327	20.3
Bob Lanier	13	887	18,270	20.6
Calvin Murphy	13	1,002	17,949	17.9
Lou Hudson	13	890	17,940	20.2
Lenny Wilkens	15	1,077	17,772	16.5
Bailey Howell	12	950	17,770	18.7
Earl Monroe	13	926	17,454	18.8

*Includes points scored in the ABA.

Bold face indicates former organization player.

ALL-TIME NBA LEADERS

MOST GAMES PLAYED

John Havlicek	1,270
Paul Silas	1,254
Elvin Hayes	1,222
Hal Greer	1,122
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	1,090
Lenny Wilkens	1,077
Dolph Schayes	1,059
Johnny Green	1,057
Don Nelson	1,053
Leroy Ellis	1,048

MOST MINUTES PLAYED

Elvin Hayes	49,006
Wilt Chamberlain	47,859
John Havlicek	46,471
Oscar Robertson	43,886
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	43,121
Bill Russell	40,726
Hal Greer	39,788
Walt Bellamy	38,940
Lenny Wilkens	38,064
Jerry West	36,571

MOST FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

John Havlicek	23,900
Elvin Hayes	23,883
Wilt Chamberlain	23,497
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	21,969
Elgin Baylor	20,171
Oscar Robertson	19,620
Jerry West	19,032
Hal Greer	18,811
Bob Pettit	16,872
Bob Cousy	16,468

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE

Wilt Chamberlain	12,681
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	12,290
Elvin Hayes	10,818
John Havlicek	10,513
Oscar Robertson	9,508
Jerry West	9,016
Elgin Baylor	8,693
Hal Greer	8,504
Walt Bellamy	7,914
Gail Goodrich	7,431

HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE (400 Games or 10,000 Points Minimum)

	G	F6M	FTM	PTS.	AVG.
Wilt Chamberlain	1,045	12,681	6,057	31,419	30.1
George Gervin	561	6,161	3,507	15,892	28.3
Elgin Baylor	846	8,693	5,763	23,149	27.4
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	1,090	12,290	5,230	29,810	27.3
Jerry West	932	9,016	7,160	25,192	27.0
Bob Pettit	792	7,349	6,182	20,880	26.4
Oscar Robertson	1,040	9,508	7,694	26,710	25.7
Adrian Dantley	467	4,272	3,242	11,789	25.2
Bob McAdoo	687	6,668	3,548	16,887	24.6
Pete Maravich	658	6,187	3,564	15,948	24.2

HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (2,000 F6M Minimum)

	F6A	F6M	PCT.
Artis Gilmore	6,715	3,981	.593
Cedric Maxwell	4,011	2,268	.565
Darryl Dawkins	4,384	2,463	.562
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	21,969	12,290	.559
Bill Cartwright	3,831	2,129	.556
Bobby Jones	5,044	2,790	.553
Adrian Dantley	7,789	4,272	.549
Swen Nater	4,275	2,308	.540
Wilt Chamberlain	23,497	12,681	.540
Walter Davis	7,081	3,815	.539

HIGHEST FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (1,200 FTM Minimum)

	FTA	FTM	PCT.
Rick Barry	4,243	3,818	.900
Calvin Murphy	3,864	3,445	.892
Bill Sharman	3,557	3,143	.884
Mike Newlin	3,456	3,005	.870
Fred Brown	2,125	1,819	.856
Larry Siegfried	1,945	1,662	.854
James Silas	1,690	1,440	.852
Larry Bird	1,486	1,263	.850
Flynn Robinson	1,881	1,597	.849
Junior Bridgeman	1,628	1,376	.845

MOST FREE THROWS MADE

Oscar Robertson	7,694
Jerry West	7,160
Dolph Schayes	6,979
Bob Pettit	6,182
Wilt Chamberlain	6,057
Elgin Baylor	5,763
Lenny Wilkens	5,394
John Havlicek	5,369
Elvin Hayes	5,270
Kareem-Abdul Jabbar	5,230

MOST REBOUNDS

Wilt Chamberlain	23,924
Bill Russell	21,620
Elvin Hayes	16,019
Nate Thurmond	14,464
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	14,418
Walt Bellamy	14,241
Wes Unseld	13,769
Jerry Lucas	12,942
Bob Pettit	12,849
Paul Silas	12,357

MOST PERSONAL FOULS

Elvin Hayes	4,070
Hal Greer	3,855
Dolph Schayes	3,664
Walt Bellamy	3,536
Bailey Howell	3,498
Sam Lacey	3,473
Bill Bridges	3,375
Kareem Abdul Jabbar	3,303
Lenny Wilkens	3,285
John Havlicek	3,281

MOST FREE THROWS ATTEMPTED

Wilt Chamberlain	11,862
Oscar Robertson	9,185
Jerry West	8,801
Dolph Schayes	8,273
Bob Pettit	8,119
Walt Bellamy	8,088
Elvin Hayes	7,867
Elgin Baylor	7,391
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar	7,299
Lenny Wilkens	6,973

MOST ASSISTS

Oscar Robertson	9,887
Lenny Wilkens	7,211
Bob Cousy	6,955
Guy Rodgers	6,917
Nate Archibald	6,316
Jerry West	6,238
John Havlicek	6,114
Dave Bing	5,397
Kevin Porter	5,314
Norm Van Lier	5,217

MOST DISQUALIFICATIONS

Vern Mikkelsen	127
Walter Dukes	121
Charlie Share	105
Paul Arizin	104
Tom Gola	94
Tom Sanders	94
Dave Cowens	90
Bailey Howell	90
Dolph Schayes	90
Tom Meschery	89

1983-84 SCHEDULE

OCTOBER

FRIDAY, 28 LOS ANGELES, 7:35 pm

SUNDAY, 30 SEATTLE, 1:05 pm

NOVEMBER

TUESDAY, 1 GOLDEN STATE, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 3 DENVER, 7:35 pm

SATURDAY, 5 HOUSTON, 7:35 pm

Tuesday, 8 @ Chicago, 7:35 pm

(KSHB-TV)

Wednesday, 9 @ Milwaukee, 7:30 pm

Friday, 11 @ Philadelphia, 6:35 pm

(KSHB-TV)

Saturday, 12 @ Detroit, 6:35 pm

Tuesday, 15 @ Washington, 6:35 pm

Thursday, 17 @ San Antonio, 7:30 pm

TUESDAY, 22 SAN DIEGO, 7:35 pm

Friday, 25 @ Dallas, 7:35 pm

SATURDAY, 26 UTAH, 7:35 pm

MONDAY, 28 PORTLAND, 7:35 pm

Wednesday, 30 @ Phoenix, 8:35 pm

DECEMBER

Thursday, 1 @ Golden State, 9:35 pm

Saturday, 3 @ Utah, 8:35 pm (KSHB-TV)

TUESDAY, 6 DALLAS, 7:35 pm

Thursday, 8 @ Los Angeles, 9:30 pm

(USA Cable)

SATURDAY, 10 INDIANA, 7:35 pm

Wednesday, 14 @ Seattle, 9:30 pm

Thursday, 15 @ Golden State, 9:35 pm

Saturday, 17 @ Phoenix, 8:35 pm

TUESDAY, 20 DENVER, 7:35 pm

FRIDAY, 23 SAN ANTONIO, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 27 PHILADELPHIA, 7:35 pm

Thursday, 29 @ San Antonio, 7:30 pm

(KSHB-TV)

FRIDAY, 30 SAN DIEGO, 7:35 pm

JANUARY

Tuesday, 3 @ Portland, 9:35 pm

Wednesday, 4 @ San Diego, 9:35 pm

Friday, 6 @ Utah, 8:35 pm (KSHB-TV)

SATURDAY, 7 PHOENIX, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 10 DALLAS, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 12 LOS ANGELES, 7:35 pm

Saturday, 14 @ Houston, 7:40 pm

(KSHB-TV)

SUNDAY, 15 SAN DIEGO, 4:05 pm

TUESDAY, 17 BOSTON, 7:35 pm

Friday, 20 @ Denver, 8:40 pm

Saturday, 21 @ Portland, 9:30 pm

(KSHB-TV)

TUESDAY, 24 NEW JERSEY, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 26 SEATTLE, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 31 HOUSTON, 7:35 pm

FEBRUARY

Wednesday, 1 @ Boston, 6:30 pm

(KSHB-TV)

Friday, 3 @ New Jersey, 6:35 pm

SATURDAY, 4 DENVER, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 7 MILWAUKEE, 7:35 pm

Wednesday, 8 @ San Antonio, 7:30 pm

(KSHB-TV)

Friday, 10 @ Dallas, 7:35 pm

SATURDAY, 11 WASHINGTON, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 14 NEW YORK, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 16 UTAH, 7 pm (USA Cable)

SATURDAY, 18 ATLANTA, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 21 DETROIT, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 23 PHOENIX, 7:35 pm

Saturday, 25 @ Denver, 8:40 pm

(KSHB-TV)

TUESDAY, 28 CLEVELAND, 7:35 pm

MARCH

Thursday, 1 @ Houston, 7 pm (KSHB-TV
& USA Cable)

Friday, 2 @ Dallas, 7:35 pm

SATURDAY, 3 DALLAS, 7:35 pm

TUESDAY, 6 PORTLAND, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 8 CHICAGO, 7:35 pm

SUNDAY, 11 GOLDEN STATE, 6:05 pm

Wednesday, 14 @ Atlanta, 6:40 pm

Thursday, 15 @ Indiana, 6:35 pm

(KSHB-TV)

Saturday, 17 @ New York, 6:35 pm

Sunday, 18 @ Cleveland, 6:35 pm

Tuesday, 20 @ Houston, 7:40 pm

(KSHB-TV)

WEDNESDAY, 21 LOS ANGELES, 7:35

Friday, 23 @ Denver, 8:40 pm (KSHB-TV)

SATURDAY, 24 SAN ANTONIO, 7:35 pm

Tuesday, 27 @ Utah, 8:35 pm

Wednesday, 28 @ Seattle, 9:30 pm

Thursday, 29 @ Portland, 9:30 pm

(USA Cable)

SATURDAY, 31 UTAH, 7:35 pm

APRIL

Tuesday, 3 @ Phoenix, 8:35 pm
(KSHB-TV)

Wednesday, 4 @ San Diego, 9:35 pm

Friday, 6 @ Los Angeles, 9:35 pm

Saturday, 7 @ Golden State, 10:05 pm

TUESDAY, 10 SEATTLE, 7:35 pm

THURSDAY, 12 SAN ANTONIO, 7 pm
(USA Cable)

SATURDAY, 14 HOUSTON, 7:35 pm

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	Missouri vs. North Carolina	9:00PM
11/29	Notre Dame vs. Indiana	7:30PM
12/1	Washington vs. LSU	8:00PM
12/2	Auburn vs. Alabama/Birmingham	9:00PM
12/3	Minnesota vs. Marquette	9:00PM
12/10	Indiana vs. University of Texas/EI Paso	5:00PM
12/13	Mississippi vs. Memphis State	8:00PM
12/17	Syracuse vs. Marquette	2:00PM
12/19	Western Kentucky vs. Old Dominion	7:00PM
12/20	Kentucky vs. Cincinnati	8:00PM
12/21	Dartmouth vs. North Carolina	7:00PM
	Wake Forest vs. Marquette	9:00PM
12/27	Wake Forest vs. Jacksonville	7:00PM
	(Gator Bowl Tournament Game #1)	
	Auburn vs. Villanova	9:00PM
	(Gator Bowl Tournament Game #2)	
12/28	Gator Bowl Tournament Game #3	7:00PM
	Gator Bowl Tournament Championship Game	9:00PM
	Brigham Young University vs. UCLA	11:00PM
1/3	Villanova vs. Syracuse	8:00PM
1/4	Virginia vs. Virginia Tech	7:00PM
	Maryland vs. North Carolina State	9:00PM

NBA

11/11	Phoenix vs. Los Angeles	10:30PM
11/13	San Diego vs. Philadelphia	7:30PM
11/18	New York vs. Boston	7:30PM
11/20	Cleveland vs. San Diego	10:30PM
11/25	Philadelphia vs. Houston	8:00PM
11/27	Chicago vs. Los Angeles	10:00PM
12/4	Philadelphia vs. Boston	7:30PM
12/4	San Diego vs. Los Angeles	10:00PM
12/11	Philadelphia vs. Milwaukee	8:00PM
12/18	New Jersey vs. Denver	9:00PM
12/25	Los Angeles vs. Portland	10:00PM

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